

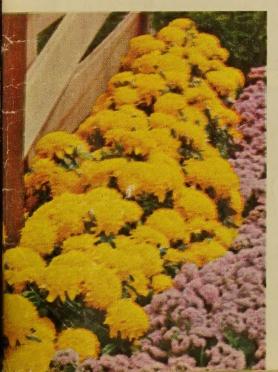
### All America CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG

(5010) The outstanding All America red rose of the 1940's (and a parent of 1960's winner at right)—is offered for the first time at this bargain price! Fragrant, brilliant red buds open to magnificent cerise blooms on long graceful stems all season long. No. 1 plants \$1.35 each, 3 for \$3.75 postpaid.

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1960 All America Winner

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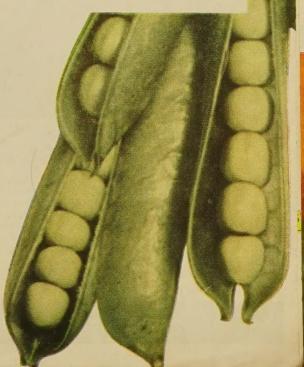
### 1960 All America GARDEN PARTY

(5002) A spectacular Hybrid Tea boasting these illustrious parents: Charlotte Armstrong and Peace! Huge blooms, as large as Peace, combine soft pastel shades of rich ivory at the heart, with creamy tones that blend to apple blossom pink at edges of more than 25 flaring petals! No. 1 plants \$3.50 each, 3 for \$9.20 postpaid.

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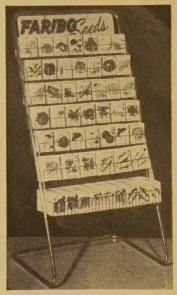
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All varieties we list here rate high in freezing tests, but should be picked when half mature and processed immediately for the best quality product.

1 lb. plants 100 foot row



CULTURE—Beans should be sown after May 15th, when the ground is thoroughly warm. Make successive sowings, 2 weeks apart, for a supply of beans all summer. Sow in drills 15 to 30 inches apart, 2 inches deep, dropping the beans 3 inches apart in the row. Cultivate often, but shallow.

NOTE—Do not walk through, or pick beans when they are wet with dew or rain as touching the wet plants spreads the spores of anthracnose or bean canker from one plant to another.

12. PEARLGREEN SNAP BEAN - (1958 All America Winner). At last a quality green snap bean with WHITE SEEDS, — so important to those who take pride in their home canned or fresh frozen garden beans. Firm round pods are fleshy, brittle, stringless, at all stages. Vigorous erect plants hold heavy crops of pods off the ground. Mosaic resistant. Large Pkt. 25c, ½ lb. 60c, lb. 95c, 5 lbs. \$3.65, prepaid.

13. GARDENGREEN SNAP BEAN - (1959 All America Winner) These 5 inch bright green pods are round, plump, meaty and boast a wonderful bean flavor! Stringless, fiberless, straight-podded, a good snapper. Vigorous, medium tall vines resist mosaic and hold pods well off the

ground. Large Pkt., 25c, ½ lb. 60c, lb. 95c, 5 lbs. \$3.65 prepaid. 15. TENDERGREEN IMPROVED - (54 days). So tender and snappy it fairly melts in your mouth! Excellent for home garden or market. Pod: 6 inches long, round fleshy, dark green, stringless and of fine quality. A very heavy yielder. Seed: brown, blotched with light fawn. Large pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

16. BURPEE'S STRINGLESS—(52 days). Gardeners and canners like this stringless and fiberless bean for its excellent quality. It sells readily on the market, and for cut beans for canning, it can't be beat. Pod: 6 inches long, medium green, round. Seed: coffee brown. Large pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

17. TOPCROP — (52 days). This All America Gold MARKET Medal Snapbean is immune to bean mosaic, and therefore outyields most others. Pods are 6 inches long, straight, entirely stringless, and very meaty. Provides a few large pickings rather than numerous small pickings. Seeds, mottled brown. Large pkt. 20c. ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

18. WADE — The 1952 All America Gold Medal Vegetable! U.S.D.A. achieved slow wilting tendencies with strong resistance to mosaic and powdery mildew in this extra fine quality snap bean. Heavy crops of remarkably smooth, round, slender, deep green 6 inch pods are held well up off the ground. Seed reddish brown. Large pkt. 20c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

21. GREENCROP SNAPBEAN - 1957 All America winner makes very heavy early crops of extra long, dark green flat pods, that are stringless with tender brittle flesh and white seeds. These huge pods remain in prime condition much longer than Bountiful and are produced in tremendous quantities on upright 24 in. plants. Large pkt. 25c, ½ lb. 60c, lb. 95c, 5 lbs. \$3.65, prepaid.

### **ALL-SEASON** BEAN COLLECTION

(One of Each) Contender, green Brittle Wax Baby Fordhook Lima Kentucky Pole

ALL for 60c ppd.

Snap Bean Grows Quick Resists

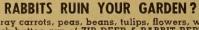
INOCULATE GARDEN



BEANS! PKG. to treat 5 pounds 25c



New WADE . . . the Gold Medal Green Snap-bean is unusually smooth, straight, slow to wilt.



Spray carrots, peas, beans, tulips, flowers, with push-button can of ZIP DEER & RABBIT REPELLENT. Spraying boundary rows usually protects garden. Don't spray lettuce, edible greens. 6 oz. ZIP

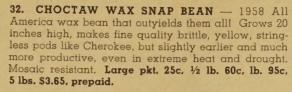
VARIETIES OFFERED HERE, ARE HOME FREEZING



Faribo Brittle Wax

# Stringless Yellow-Pod

# BUSH BEANS



33. CHEROKEE—An early, new waxbean with almost straight 5-6 inch pods, semi-round, stringless, free of fiber, tender and of high quality. Seeds: black. Large pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

34. FARIBO BRITTLE WAX-(52 days). Tender, succulent, buttery-flavored beans for table use, canning, or winter shell beans. Attractive 6 inch lemon-yellow pods are absolutely stringless. Seeds: white with dark brown eye. Large pkt. 20c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

35. TOP NOTCH GOLDEN WAX-(50 days). These rich yellow pods are strictly stringless, nearly flat and quite broad. Seed resembles the well known Golden Wax, but pods are an inch longer. Large pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

36. BLACK PENCIL POD WAX-(52 days). A heavy yielder of golden yellow 7 inch pods, round, fleshy, tender, brittle, flavorful, and absolutely stringless. Seeds: solid black. Large pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

38. PUREGOLD—(59 days). A high yielding, All-America Winner. The  $5\frac{1}{2}$  inch golden yellow pods are slim and round with tender, brittle flesh of excellent quality. Ripens over a long period. Seed: white with brown eye. Large pkt. 20c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.



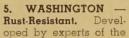
One pound plants 200 hills. Plant hills 3 feet apart each way sowing 4 to 6 beans to a hill. Stake with

46. KENTUCKY WONDER—(65 days). (Old Homestead.) The most popular pole bean grown. A splendid canner. Will bear heavily all summer if kept picked. Pods are 8 inches long, silvery green, practically round, of good quality and very brittle. are buff brown. Large pkt. 20c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

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1 ounce of seed will sow about 100 feet of drill. Leaflet on Asparagus Culture Free Upon Request

4. PARADISE - Produces a normal crop one year earlier than other varieties and gives heavier production throughout its life. Large, crisp, tender stalks of exceptionally fine, mild flavor. Only 6 to 8 stalks required to the pound. The seed should be planted very thinly in seed beds the first season. Pkt. 15c. oz. 35c, 1/4 lb. 95c, lb. \$3.50, prepaid.



U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, who originated this strain. The stalks are dark green with purplish Very large, straight and of superb quality. tips. The leading variety grown by market gardeners. Pkt. 15c, oz. 35c, 1/4 lb. 95c, lb. \$3.50, prepaid. ASPARAGUS ROOTS - SEE PAGE 29



Paradise

### RED KIDNEY BEANS

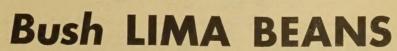
64. RED KIDNEY OR CHILI BEAN - (95 days). Everyone likes the delicious, tangy flavor of hot Mexican Chili Con Carne! Anyone can grow their delicious red Chili Beans. They are of excellent quality for dry bean use. Pods: 6 inches long, flat, waxy green. Seeds: reddish brown. Large pkt. 20c. ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25.

### MUNG BEANS FOR SPROUTS

(No. 66)



Chinese Bean Sprouts make the "year around salad". Delicious served in chop suey. Grow sprouts enough for family dinner in a small dish in your kitchen in 4 days, winter or summer. Pkt. 20c, 1/2 lb. 50c, 1 lb. 80c, 3 lbs. \$2.10, postpaid.



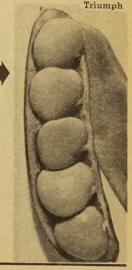
CULTURE-Plant in rows 15 to 30 in. apart in rich soil, 6 to 10 inches apart in the row. Plant 3 inches deep. 1 lb. plants 100 ft. of row.

77. WASATCH BABY LIMA-A new high quality, high yielding green seeded lima bean from Utah that rates high in canning and freezing tests. The dwarf plants grow 12 to 15 inches tall with a very heavy set of pods containing 2 to 4 plump, medium sized pale green beans. Large pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25 ppd.

76. FORDHOOK 242—(75 days). This new large-seeded Fordhook strain also produces heavier yields in hot weather. Thick, meaty beans are excellent eaten fresh, canned or frozen. Pods are 3 to 4 inches long, contain 3 to 4 thick, pale-green beans. Large pkt. 20c, ½ 1b. 50c, 1b. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

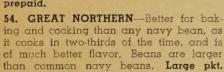
75. TRIUMPH—A recent All-American Winner from U.S.D.A. Sets small "Baby Fordhook Type" pods, even in hot weather, when others drop their blossoms and fail. Short, very thick green beans which turn white slowly. Rated very high for canning or freezing. Large pkt. 20c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

74. BURPEE'S IMPROVED-(75 days). Of excellent quality and luscious flavor. Four inch pods 11/4 inches wide, contain 4 to 5 large, plump, wrinkled white seeds with greenish tinge. Large pkt. 20c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.





TO FREEZE LIMAS: (varieties listed here are well suited to quick freezing). Sort shelled limas into small, medium, large. Water blanch small size I minute, mediums 2 min., large 21/2 min. If steam blanching, add I minute.



Kentucky Wonder Green Pole Bean

BEANS for BAKING

53. MICHILITE—An improved navy bean introduced by the Michigan Agricultural

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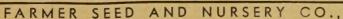
blight. Vines similar to navy. Seed glossy

white, small, full oval shape. Large

pkt. 15c, 1/2 lb. 40c, lb. 60c, 5 lbs. \$2.55,

15c, 1/2 lb. 40c, lb. 60c, 5 lbs. \$2.55, pre-

CARDEN BEANS WITH NITRAGIN PKG. to treat 5 lbs. only 25c ppd.



# Tender Young TABLE BEETS

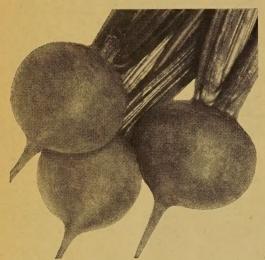
Sweeter-more Delicious Fresh from Your Garden

Sow 1 oz. to 100 ft. of row-4 to 6 lbs. per acre

CULTURE—Sow in drills 14 to 18 ins. apart and one inch deep, as early as the ground can be worked; continue for a succession as late as the middle of August; when the plants are large enough, thin out to stand three inches apart. To eradicate maggots use Maggot Destroyer. See page 16 for prices.

81. RUBY QUEEN — 1958 All America beet! A new extra early beet with short, 10 inch dark green tops and perfectly round smooth globes of luxurious solid red interior color without rings. More uniformly round than older types. Pkt. 25c. oz. 55c, 1/4 lb. \$1.35, lb. \$3.45, prepaid.

80. SWEETHEART BEET — A remarkable new table beet boasting almost double the sugar content of other garden beets. Developed at New Hampshire's Agricultural Experiment Station by crossing a table beet with a sugar beet. This new late variety is extra sweet, solid rich red all thru, and makes marvelous sweet pickled beets using vinegar only — no sugar needed. Pkt. 25c, oz. 55c. postpaid.



NEW SWEETHEART BEET is twice as sweet as other beets. Developed by crossing selected table beets with sugar beets.

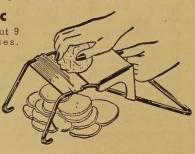
83. KING RED — (57 days). A selection out of Perfected Detroit that's especially valuable where a shorter top is desired. Smooth skinned, uniform roots are more round than Perfected Detroit, with a dark red interior color that's uniform throughout. Tops grow 12 to 14 inches high, are dark green, tinged with deep red. Pkt. 20c, oz. 45c, ½ lb. \$1.10, lb. \$2.95, prepaid.



tractive, with small taproot. Flesh is deep ox-blood red, with indistinct zones. Splendid quality, sweet and tender, without any trace of woodiness. Pkt. 15c. oz. 45c, 1/4 lb. \$1.10, lb. \$2.95, prepaid.

FEEMSTER'S FAMOUS VEGETABLE

Easily adjusted to cut 9 different thicknesses. Shreds cabbage, slices cukes, cuts corn off cob, cuts potatoes paper thin for chips or thicker for American Fries, square for French Fries! Slices oranges, tomatoes.



82. EARLY WONDER—(54 days). First on the early market. A splendid shipping variety. Roots are blood red with small taproot. Flesh is blood red with lighter zones, tender and of good quality. Tops are medium small. Pkt. 15c. oz. 45c, 1/4 lb. \$1.10, lb. \$2.95, prepaid.

King Red Beet

87. EARLY BLOOD TURNIP—(68 days). One of the best for home use or for market gardeners. Tops medium small, but fairly coarse. Roots turnip-shaped; dark red. Flesh bright red with zones of lighter shade. Pkt. 10c, oz. 45c, 1/4 lb. \$1.10, lb. \$2.95, prepaid.

### SUGAR BEETS

99. KLEIN WANZLEBEN — U. S. No. 1 Strain — The most popular variety for sugar manufacture on account of high sugar content; also good for stock feed. Roots are long, with white skin and flesh. Oz. 15c. 1/4 lb. 55c, lb. \$1.75, prepaid. Not prepaid. 5 lbs. at \$1.45 per lb.

### **MANGEL Stock Beet**

CULTURE — Sow at corn planting time — in drills 2 to 2½ feet apart, 1 to 1½ inches deep. Thin to 8 inches apart.

1 oz. to 100 ft. of drill, 5 lbs. per acre

96. MAMMOTH LONG RED — Yields from 20 to 30 tons per acre. Roots extremely large, tapering, grow half above ground; skin, light red. Flesh is white with rose tinge. Oz. 20c, 1/4 lb. 55c, lb. \$1.75, prepaid. Not prepaid, 5 lbs. at \$1.45 per lb.

### Choice Table Delicacies

As easy to grow as Cabbage!



### BROCCOLI

102. EARLY GREEN SPROUTING — (Calabrese). Famed for its tender, delicious flavor. Cultivated like cabbage, it bears a succession of sprouting heads which, if kept cut, will be replaced by others for 8-10 weeks. Should not be cooked longer than 15-20 minutes or the delicate flavor will be destroyed. Pkt. 15c. ½ oz. 30c. oz. 50c. ¼ lb. \$1.45, prepaid.



1959 All America Hybrid Brussels Sprouts matures earlier, yields more — it's better.



### BRUSSELS SPROUTS

105. JADE CROSS HYBRID — All American winner from Japan! A true Fl Hybrid with rich blue-green color that really packs on uniform, crisp, solid sprouts from the ground up! Matures up to 9 days earlier and yields more than standard varieties. Extremely vigorous, grows 22 inches tall, resistent to Black Rot and Mildew, practically outmodes all other varieties. Pkt. 35c, ½ oz. 75c, prepaid.

104. LONG ISLAND IMPROVED — (Matures 90 days from setting plants.) A delicious vegetable for fall and winter use. Small 11/2 inch, tender, succulent cabbage-like heads (with more delicate flavor than cabbage), cover the stalk. Fall frosts improve flavor. Requires same culture as late cabbage. Pkt 15c, 1/2 oz. 45c, oz. 75c, ppd.

# CARROTS are Rich in Good Value



141 - Nantes Coreless

# NANTES CORELESS 141. NANTES CORELESS—(68 days).

Clean-skinned and smooth, of a rich, bright orange color, its appearance alone wins favor for it wherever grown. The flesh is crisp, tender and practically coreless, with a very delicate flavor. about 6 inches long; tops very small. Excellent for forcing as well as for home and market garden. Pkt. 15c. oz. 45c, 1/4 lb. \$1.40, lb. \$3.15, prepaid.



142. (77 days.) Most uniform carrot yet developed. Short, bushy tops firmly attached to smooth, deep orange, 9 to 10 inch roots with scarcely any core. Keeps top quality a long time without becoming coarse or overgrown. Pkt. 25c. oz. 65c, 1/4 lb. \$1.95, prepaid.

SALZER'S STAINLESS STEEL VEGETABLE KNIFE

A quality stainless steel blade — handle of polystyrene plastic. Cannot rust or corrode.

SPECIAL KNIFE OFFER: With your order of \$3.00 or more you may order this knife for only 10c additional. Must be requested ON YOUR ORDER!

### **PLEASONING**

The Spice of Your Lifetime!

Make your cooking the talk of the town! Here's a rare seasoning used by famous chefs and expert cooks. A gourmet's delight compounded of many choice herbs finely ground into a salt that's tasty yet mild. Makes your favorite recipes taste better! Introductory size 39c:4 oz. Family Size (many weeks supply) \$1.00; 12 oz. Chef Size \$2.50 ppd. (Salt-Free Diet Formula available in 69c pkg. and \$1.75 pkg. all ppd.)

Superior Carrot COLLECTION

> Nantes Coreless Touchon Red Core Chant. Imperator

4 PKTS. 45¢



143 - Touchon - 15c Pkt.

3 to 4 lbs. per acre

CULTURE - Carrots will grow in CULTURE — Carrots will grow in any soil, but sandy, deep loam is best. Sow as early as the ground can be worked, in rows 15 to 18 inches apart, covering about one-half inch. Plants should be thinned to two, three, or even four inches apart in the row.

Stones, fresh manure, clods of soil or lumps of manure cause poor forked roots, and failure to thin young plants leads to twisted inferior roots. Deeply prepared uniform friable soil produces clean, well developed roots.

### TOUCHON

Excels in Flavor and Tenderness 143. TOUCHON—(70 days). The exquisite flavor of tender young carrots is retained by this variety even when grown to full size. Similar to Nantes in shape, but a little longer. Tops small. The flesh is bright orange, tender, crisp and sweet; the core small and inconspicuous. Pkt. 15c. oz. 45c, 1/4 lb. \$1.40. lb. \$3.15, prepaid.

### RABBITS RUIN Your Garden?

Spray carrots, peas, beans, tulips, flowers, with push-button can of ZIP DEER & RABBIT REPELLENT. Spraying boundary rows usually protects garden. Don't spray lettuce, edible greens.



156 Imperator Pkt. - 15c

### IMPERATOR

Evenly Tapered—Ideal for Bunching

156. IMPERATOR — (77 days.) An elongated Danvers type, developed to meet the demand for a long, smooth, handsome carrot. Increasingly popular for the home garden and also for market and roadside stands. Roots 7 to 8 inches long, slightly tapering and just enough top to bunch well. Deep orange all through, very tender and sweet. Pkt. 15c, oz. 45c, 1/4 lb. \$1.40, lb. \$3.15, prepaid.

### THREE QUALITY CARROTS Popular with Home and Market Gardeners And Much in Demand by Canners

149. RED CORE CHANTENAY-(72 days). Possesses all the fine qualities of its parent, Chantenay but has a deeper, richer color, which gives the beautifully shaped roots an even more attractive appearance. Average length of roots, about 5 inches. Pkt. 10c, oz. 40c, 1/4 lb. \$1.25, lb. \$2.95, prepaid.



Prevents maggot damage to root crops.

8 oz. sifter can, 60c ppd.

145. CHANTENAY OR MODEL-(72 days). A splendid carrot for home and market gardens and for canning diced carrots. Rich orange-red roots, 51/2 to 6 inches long, broad at the neck, narrowing gradually to a round, blunt base. Flesh deep orange, fine-grained and tender with a sweet delicate flavor. Pkt. 15c. oz. 40c. 1/4 lb. \$1.25, lb. \$2.95, prepaid.



Market Gardeners, Write for Special Price List!

long, smooth, with very little core; of excellent table quality. A heavy

yielder it is easily har-

vested and stores well. Pkt. 15c, oz. 40c. 1/4 lb.

\$1.25, lb. \$2.95, prepaid.

149 - Red Core Chantenay



### EARLY CABBAGE

110. FARIBO SHORT STEM — Five days earlier than any other full sized cabbage. Heads are round extremely solid, average 2 to 4 pounds, have very short stem and small flat core, exceptionally sweet and tender. High resistance to bolting and cracking. Has big possibilities for early market. Pkt. 20c, oz. 85c, 1/4 lb. \$2.95, prepaid.

111. EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD—(62 days). Extra early small plants with short stems—permitting close setting in the row, and hard, compact pointed heads of splendid quality. Head: 5 inches thick, weighs 2 to 2½ lbs., small, compact, conical, 7 inches long. Pkt. 20c. oz. 85c. 1/4 lb. \$2.95, prepaid.

112. EARLY GOLDEN ACRE—(62 days). An extra early Copenhagen type, with small round solid heads maturing with Jersey Wakefield. Weight about 3 lbs. High quality for early market. Pkt. 20c, oz. 85c, 1/4 lb. \$2.95, prepaid.

113. MORDEN DWARF CABBAGE. A novel midget cabbage from Canada that matures earliest of all! The firm, round, 4 inch miniature ballheads won't burst, are very sweet, crisp, tender, and offer unique salad possibilities. Permits close planting. Developed by Dr. Walkof at Morden, Canada. Pkt. 25c. oz. 95c. 1/4 lb. \$3.25 ppd.

114. EARLY DWARF FLAT DUTCH—(71 days). A fine medium early sort, a dependable header and good keeper. Withstands heat. Head nearly round, weight 4-5 lbs. Plant small with short stem. Pkt. 15c, oz. 85c, 1/4 lb. \$2.95, prepaid.



Danish Ballhead or True Hollander

# Fine CABBAGE SEED

One ounce will produce about 2,500 plants. 1/4 oz. of seed for 100-foot row.

CULTURE—The best way to start cabbage, especially the early sorts, is in hotbeds, flats, or in a greenhouse. Sow the seed  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch deep, in carefully prepared rich garden soil. Seed usually germinates in 5 to 10 days. When ready to transplant, set into paper pots or plant bands, in flats, until time to set outdoors. The plants can then be set out without disturbing the roots, and the paper bands form the best protection against cutworms. Set in rows 2 to 3 feet apart, 20 inches apart in the rows. Late cabbage may be sown in the open, in rows, and transplanted when 4 to 6 inches high.



### Early Jersey Wakefield

### A NEW SERVICE TO MARKET GARDENERS!

On request with your order for I oz. or more of Cabbage, Cauliflower, Turnip, Broccoli, Brussels Sprouts, Kohlrabi, or Rutabaga seeds, we will Hot-water treat seeds according to the newest recommendations of Minnesota Experiment Station for prevention of Black Rot, Blackleg and other seed-borne diseases.

### LATE CABBAGE

123. PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH—(100 days). Slow growing, sure heading, of immense size and splendid quality. A favorite for market growing or for winter storing. Head: 10 to 12 inches thick, 7 inches deep, weighs 12 to 14 lbs.; extremely large, flat and solid. Pkt. 20c, oz. 85c, 1/4 lb. \$2.95, prepaid.

124. DANISH BALLHEAD (TRUE HOLLANDER)—(105 days). Exceptional flavor, crisp and tender. Survives both cold and dry-hot weather. Keeps all winter. Head: White, 8 inches thick, weighs 6 to 7 lbs., round, extremely solid, does not burst. Pkt. 20c. oz. 85c, ½ lb. \$2.95, prepaid. 125. PENN STATE BALLHEAD—(110 days). Heaviest yielder and most uniform of all. Especially desirable for winter storage and for kraut. Heads: Large, attractive, flattened globe-shape. Extremely hard. Weighing 15-20 lbs. each. Shows resistance to blackleg. Pkt. 20c, oz. 85c, ½ lb. \$2.95, prepaid.

### RED CABBAGE

129. MAMMOTH RED ROCK—(98 days). The largest and best of the red cabbages. Of superior quality and an excellent keeper. Head: 7 inches thick, weighs 7 to 8 lbs., round, extremely hard, color purplish red. Pkt. 20c. oz. 85c, 1/4 lb. \$2.95, prepaid.

### YELLOWS RESISTANT VARIETIES

115. BADGER MARKET—(67 days). A favorite of Midwest market growers. An early round head with strong resistance to cabbage yellows. The firm, round heads average 3 pounds, 5 to 6 inch diameter, with solid interior. Grows 9 inches tall with dark blue-green cup shaped leaves. Pkt. 20c. oz. \$1.10. 1/4 lb. \$3.35 ppd.

116. JERSEY QUEEN—(62 days). If you want an early, pointed head, and if you have cabbage-yellows infection in your soil, grow this variety. Exactly like Jersey Wakefield except it is resistant to yellows. Fine for cole slaw, salads and for boiling. Pkt. 20c, oz. \$1.10, 1/4 lb. \$3.35, prepaid.

117. MARION MARKET—(75 days). Also known as Wisconsin Copenhagen. Yellows Resistant. Matures early and uniformly. The round solid head averages 7 inches thick, weighs 4 pounds, has short stem. Good for early kraut. Pkt. 20c. oz. \$1.10, ½ lb. \$3.35, prepaid.

118. WISCONSIN "ALL SEASONS"—(90 days). An excellent kraut and winter keeping sort—valuable in areas infested with "Cabbage Yellows"—also resistant to wilt and will survive heat and drought. Head: 11 inches thick, 8 inches deep, weighs 9 to 10 lbs. Pkt. 20c. oz. \$1.10, 1/4 lb. \$3.35, prepaid.

119. HOLLANDER, WISCONSIN 8—(100 days). A splendid late cabbage for storage, shipment and kraut manufacture. A heavy yielder on land infested with yellows disease. Head: 8 inches thick, weighs 8 lbs., large, almost globe shaped, very firm. Pkt. 20c, oz. \$1.10, 1/4 lb. \$3.35, prepaid.

122. GOLDEN ACRE YELLOWS RESISTANT—(64 days). The earliest round-headed yellows-resistant cabbage. Plants are short-stemmed, erect, with few outer leaves. Heads: 5½ inches deep and 6 inches in diameter. Remarkably uniform. Highly resistant on "yellows"-infested land. Pkt. 20c, oz. \$1.10, ½ lb. \$3.35, prepaid.

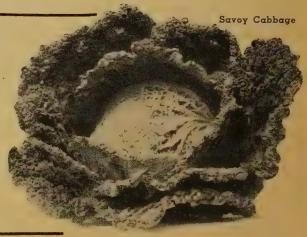
# FROST-HARDENED CERTIFIED CABBAGE PLANTS

Shipped at proper planting time in your area.
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### SAVOY CABBAGE

Savoy Cabbage is not often seen in the market, and by growing it yourself, you have something unusual—superior in quality, delicate in flavor.

128. SAVOY PERFECTION — The head is medium in size, with rich, dark green leaves, deeply crumpled. The flavor is sweet and delicious at any season, but it is never at its best until touched by frost. An excellent keeper and the tenderest of all cabbages. Used raw in salads and cole slaw, or cooked, the flavor is superb. Pkt. 20c. oz. 85c. 1/4 lb. \$2.95, prepaid.





# Finest Strains of CAULIFLOWER

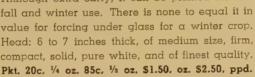
One ounce of seed will produce 1,500 plants. Four to five ounces transplant one acre.

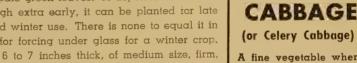
CULTURE—The same methods that produce good cabbage will grow good cauliflower. The only great difference is that cauliflower heads must be protected from sunlight so as to make

166. SUPER SNOWBALL—(52 days). This is an extra early strain of the Snowball type. Besides being extra early, the heads of "flowers" mature with greater uniformity, making it possible to harvest a large percentage of the crop in the first cutting. The plants are vigorous and strong, the leaves are well folded or curled over the heads, which are large, uniform in size, deep and solid. Pkt. 20c, 1/4 oz. 85c, 1/2 oz. \$1.50, oz. \$2.50, prepaid.

sure of the desirable white curd. Gather the tops of the leaves together loosely as soon as the heads begin to form. In shutting off the light, it is important not to cramp the heads.

167. EARLY SNOWBALL-(55 days). Most widely used early variety. Plants are dwarf with short, pale green leaves. A dependable header. Although extra early, it can be planted for late fall and winter use. There is none to equal it in value for forcing under glass for a winter crop. Head: 6 to 7 inches thick, of medium size, firm, compact, solid, pure white, and of finest quality.





A fine vegetable when

cooked but especially delicious as a salad.

CHINESE

PURPLE CAULIFLOWER

169. EARLY PURPLE HEAD — (85 days). Even if you don't like cauliflower, chances are you'll

appreciate this unusual, delicious, easy-to-grow

vegetable. Flavor resembles that of broccoli,

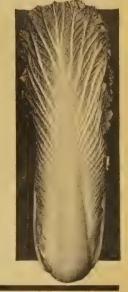
though it's more delicate. Large compact heads

of beautiful purple color, turn an attractive

green when cooking. Perfect for quick freezing.

Pkt. 25c. 1/4 oz. 95c, 1/2 oz. \$1.70, oz. \$2.95, ppd.

138. MICHIHILI - A new improved strain of Chihili. The plants are slightly larger and more uniform in growth. The heads are 18 to 20 inches long, tapering from a four inch base, very compact, white tinted with green, excellent quality. Pkt. 15c, oz. 45c, 1/4 lb. \$1.50,



# Crisp Tender CELERY

One ounce of seed will produce 2,500 Plants.

CULTURE - Sow the seed in flats, during February or March. Celery seed germinates slowly and the surface of the soil must be kept constantly moist. Cover the seed very lightly, with fine sand rather than with soil, to prevent a hard surface. When plants are 2 or 3 inches high, transplant them to other flats. In May, set them out in rows 3 feet apart, 6 inches apart in the rows. Requires rich soil and an abundance of water during the growing season.



Summer Pascal Celery

180. SUMMER PASCAL-Of finest quality, Summer Pascal produces stems so thick and tender, that even the unblanched outside striks are surprisingly fine. They have a rich full nutty flavor seldom found in celery. The plant is not tall, but sturdy and robust, with stems to the first joint exceptionally long, (8 to 9 in.) Bleaches to a pure white. Pkt. 15c, ½ oz. 55c. oz. 95c, prepaid.

182. SELECT GOLDEN SELF BLANCHING — Best for 'early table use, and most popular for market. Bleaches as well as any yellow variety. The plants grow to medium size, and are stocky and compact. The heart is rich golden yellow, with light yellowish green outer stalks and leaves. Stalks are broad and heavy, but remarkably crisp and tender, entirely free from stringiness and of fine flavor. Pkt. 15c, 1/2 oz. 55c, oz. 95c, prepaid.

184. UTAH EARLY GREEN

- A very desirable green type. The stalks are medium broad, rounded, thick and solid. The plant is stocky, full hearted and compact and blanches readily. Quality and flavor are exceptionally good. Pkt. 15c, 1/2 oz. 55c, oz. 95c,

# PLANT SEED WITH CONFIDENCE



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- NO DAMPING OFF

Plant your seeds in Fertl-Cubes seedling starters. They root in ORGANIC plant food, always have plenty of nourishment. Big, healthy root systems develop. You transplant cube, root and all without disturbance. There's no wilt, no setback. You get wonderful results. That's why over 8 million have been used here.

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(Reg. Size Kit) ppd.

### Faribo Golden Sugar

# SWEET CORN

# Best Hybrids in the North

CULTURE—1/4 lb. plants 100 foot row—1 lb. plants 200 hills—12 to 15 lbs. per acre. Plant in hills 3 to 31/2 feet apart each way, or sow in rows 31/2 feet apart, placing the seed about 8 inches apart in the rows. Plant as soon as danger of frost is past; for succession, plant every two weeks until July. Give frequent and thorough but shallow cultivation.

200. FARIBO SUGAR & GOLD — (57 days). Bi-colored. The earliest sweet corn we've tested. 3 to 5 days earlier than Golden Midget! Slender 7 to 8 inch ears with 8 rows of mixed yellow and white kernels of extra high sugar content. Extra high quality, very tender. Plants grow 44 to 50 inches tall — yields abundantly. Big Pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

201. EARLY GOLDEN 113—(65 days). We recommend this for your early market hybrid. Ears are 8 to 10 inches long, well-filled and uniform, with deep, tender kernels of good flavor. Big Pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

202. GOLDEN BEAUTY — (65 days). All America Award winner for 1955. Matures with extra early hybrids. Makes big yields of uniform 9 inch ears with 8 to 10 rows of deep tender-sweet golden kernels. Well suited to canning, freezing or market. Pkt. 20c. ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

203. FARIBO GOLDEN HONEY — (70 days). A new early hybrid maturing a few days after Early Golden, but 2 weeks ahead of Golden Cross. The good sized 12 rowed ears have better flavor and tenderness than Early Golden. A real "money-maker" for market, because the extra long, tight husks do a better job of protecting ear tips. Big Pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

204. FARIBO GOLDEN SUGAR (70 days). A medium early yellow hybrid with attractive creamy yellow ears of good size, uniform, and of excellent quality that rivals main crop varieties. A delicious on-the-cob eating corn and an ideal canner or freezer. Sturdy 5 ft. stalks resist bacterial wilt. Long, plump tapering ears carry 10 to 14 rows, Big Pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

205. FARIBO GOLDEN BOUQUET (77 days). Matures a week earlier than Golden Cross Bantam. Many stalks produce a regular "bouquet" of 3 to 4 ears, measuring 9 inches long with 12 rows. Pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

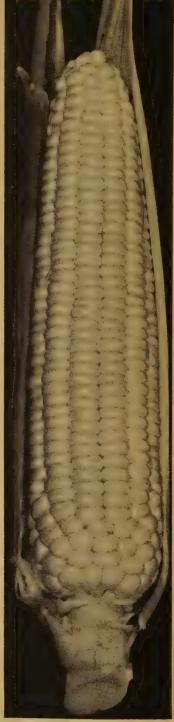
206. GOLDEN CROSS BANTAM—(84 days.) An extra heavy yielding Golden Bantam hybrid favored by the leading canning factories. Famous for its large ears, uniformly filled with tender golden kernels of high sugar content. Stalk 6 ft. high, ears 8 inches long, 10 to 14-rowed. Big Pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

207. KANNER KING—(85 days). A main crop hybrid of superb quality for market, canning or freezing. Large, uniform 8-inch ears, packed with 12-14 rows of yellow kernels. Big Pkt. 20c. ½ 1b. 50c, 1b. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, ppd.

208. FARIBO BUTTER NUGGETT—(88 days). A deluxe hybrid featuring pencil thin 8 to 9 inch cobs with 8 to 10 rows of the tenderest, sweetest, creamy yellow kernels on any hybrid. Unusually thin kernel skin provides extreme tenderness that's perfect for quick freezing, either on the ear or as cut kernels. Big Pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, 1 lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, postpaid.

209. IOCHIEF—(86 days). Iowa State's main crop hybrid. Ears are 14-16 rowed, as large as Golden Cross Bantam, but remain edible longer. Extremely high cutting percentage. Big Pkt. 20c, ½ 1b. 50c, 1b. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

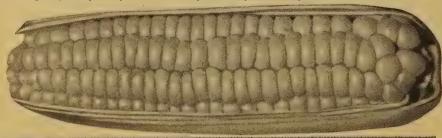
210. FARIBO PARTY TIME (85 days) A new and better main crop hybrid in Iochief's season, featuring big, handsome 10 to 12 in. roasting ears packed solid with 12-14 rows of tasty, tender golden kernels. Big pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25 ppd.



Faribo Golden Bouquet

# Midget SWEET CORN For The Smallest Garden!

Adapted to freezing on the ear: pencil-thin cobs freeze through quickly to provide a top quality frozen product.



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215. FARIBO GOLDEN MIDGET — (59 days). Here's sweet corn at its best! The sweetest, tenderest, most flavorful corn grown. 3 to 5 miniature ears, packed with butter-yellow kernels of highest sugar content on tiny  $2^{1/2}$  ft. plants. A quart freezer carton holds half dozen ears. Big Pkt. 35c, 1/2 lb. 70c, lb. \$1.20, 5 lbs. \$4.75, prepaid.

216. FARIBO "BIG MIDGET" HYBRID—(60 days). Here's the hybrid model of Faribo Golden Midget. It's just as early, but plants grow 10 inches taller, ears about 2 inches longer, and yields are larger. The extremely high sugar content and exceptional flavor are all retained in this slightly bigger hybrid version. Big pkt. 35c, ½ lb. 70c, lb. \$1.20, 5 lbs. \$4.75, prepaid.

217. FARIBO SILVER MIDGET—(60 days). A new white kernelled model of the famous Faribo Golden Midget, retaining most the unique features of its yellow parent, including miniature ear and plant size, and best of all, the remarkable sweetness and tenderness. Grow some of each! Pkt. 35c, 1/2 lb. 70c, lb. \$1.20, 5 lbs. \$4.75, postpaid.

### No. 214 "SUMMER LONG" SWEET CORN HYBRID BLEND

Hybrid sweet corn matures very evenly — making a short picking season. To overcome this, we offer a mixture of hybrids described at left. Plant a patch of this blend all at one time, and pick sugary sweet corn maturing continously in 65 to 90 days. Big Pkt. 20c, 1/2 lb. 55c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25,

No. 230

### **ALL SUMMER** COLLECTION

of Standard Sweet Corn

Planted at one time, varieties in this collection will supply your table all summer.

SUNSHINE—(Extra Early)

GOLDEN BANTAM-(Medium Early)

BANTAM EVERGREEN-(Late)

3 Pkts. (1 of each)......40c  $1^{1}/_{2}$  Lbs.  $(^{1}/_{2}$  lb. of each)....95c 3 Lbs. (1 lb. of each)....\$1.75 ALL POSTPAID

### KILL EAR WORM WITH KILLER DUST

1 lb. Can, 75c ppd.



To can or freeze sweet corn EITHER cream-style or whole-kernel, use Jiffy Corn Cutter. It's adjustable to cut BOTH kinds with 5 quick strokes! When cutting cream-style the rough kernel skin, (which keeps some from eating corn), remains on cob.

### HYBRID POP CORN



No other corn No other corn equals Minnesota's White Hulless Hybrid in flavor or tenderness Be sure to try it! It's maintained at just the proper.

FOR HOME

POPPING!

tained at just the proper moisture content for maximum popping volume, in sanitary 2 pound polyethylene packages.

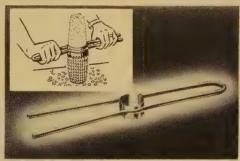
4 lbs. for \$1.35, 10 lbs. for \$1.35 all postpaid. 100 lbs. \$2.85, all postpaid. 100 ll bulk \$11.50, f.o.b. Faribault.

# Open Pollinated SWEET CORN

### **EARLY VARIETIES**

223. EARLY SUNSHINE - (66 days). An early yellow variety, with a larger ear, and about 5 days ahead of Golden Bantam. Excellent for home garden. Flavor, tenderness and quality are superior. Ear: 7 inches long; 10-14 rowed, kernels golden yellow, sweet, tender and of good flavor. Stalk, 5½ feet high. **Pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 45c,** lb. 75c. 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

226. EARLY GOLDEN BANTAM -- (72 days). To most home gardeners, sweet corn means Golden Bantam. It is medium early, dependable and of wonderful quality. Ear 6½ inches long, 8-rowed. Kernels broad with tender hull, sweet and of exceptionally fine flavor. Stalk: 5 to  $5\frac{1}{2}$  feet high. Pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 45c, lb. 75c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.



### New "KERNEL KUTTER" Strips Kernels Off Ear of Sweet Corn with ONE QUICK STROKE!

Nothing else like "Kernel Kutter." Comes complete — all ready to use for fixing sweet corn for freezing, canning, etc. Just hold ear of sweet corn upright on bread board. Round, sharp, cutlery steel sawtooth knife fits over end of ear of any size or taper, with just the right amount of pressure. Then one, quick downstroke shears off every kernel without digging into the cob — quick as a flash and clean as a whistle. No crushed or mashed kernels — no trace of husks.

Fix a year's supply of "whole-kernel" sweet corn for your deep freeze in one hour!

Only \$1.95, postpaid. Money back if not delighted.

CULTURE-Plant Minhybrid 250 Pop Corn 3-5 lbs. to the acre in drills: South American Pop Corn 5-8 lbs. to the acre. Plant in rows 3 to 31/2 feet apart, dropping the seed 8 to 10 inches apart in the row.



254. SILVER-GOLD POP CORN
— (105 days). A brand new hybrid developed by crossing South American Yellow and white hulless strains. Result: a novel new pop corn with long slender ears, packed with mixed gold and silver colored kernels that expand 30 to 1 in popping volume. The big popped kernels are both butterfly and round types, white to creamy yellow, and remarkably free of hulls for large type corn. Earliest South American type in our tested by the strain of the strain of

American type in our tests! Pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 55c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25 prepaid.



Early Sunshine

### LATE VARIETIES

241. BANTAM EVERGREEN—(85 days). Developed from  $\alpha$  cross of Golden Bantam and Stowell's Evergreen. It has the rich golden yellow kernels of Bantam, and the size and tender hull of Evergreen. Sweet, and of fine quality. Evergreen type of ear with 14-18 rows. Ready for market when most other yellows are overmature. Pkt. 15c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 75c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

242. STOWELL'S EVERGREEN—(90 days). Most popular late variety for home and market gardening or canning. Holds its prime condition at eating stage a long time. Ear: 9 inches long, 16 to 20-rowed; kernels clear white, deep medium width, sweet and tender. Stalk: 8 to 10 feet high, sturdy and erect. Pkt. 20c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 75c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

### POP CORN & PROFITABLE

250. MINHYBRID 250 WHITE HULLESS (CERTIFIED) - (95 days). The last word in Pop Corn. Developed by Minnesota Experiment Station, it far surpasses the old Jap Hulless—records show 16% greater yield and 29% greater popping expansion. The finest in quality, flavor and tenderness. Pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 55c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid. Not prepaid, 10 lbs. at 50c per lb.

> 251. FARIBO-HULLESS WHITE—(90 days). Used extensively by pop corn vendors. The ears are only 3 to 4 inches long, but every kernel will pop, so there is no waste. Faribo Hulless Pop Corn is almost again as productive as White Rice. The kernels are longer and more slender, and have no hulls. Pkt. 15c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 75c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid. Not prepaid, 10 lbs. at 35c per lb.

252. IOPOP No. 5-A new white hybrid of Jap hulless type, but ears are much larger and more tapering. Medium late, 110-115 days. It stands better than Jap hulless, yields 25% better and has a popping volume of 27 as compared with 23 for Jap hul-

less. Ranks high in quality, tenderness, flavor. Pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 55c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

253. HYBRID GOLD-(115 days). Developed from South American Yellow, this hybrid pops to large, flaky, tender kernels of a rich butter color. High pop-

ping volume. Profitable for market as it yields more than open polinated corn. Adapted to southern Minnesota, northern Iowa Wisconsin and South Dakota. Pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 55c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid. Not prepaid, 10 lbs. at 50c per lb.





### For SALAD SLICING and PICKLING

280. MARKETER—(64 days). W. S. (also called Taxpayer). Uniformly 9 inches in length, with tapering ends and of an intense dark green color. Produces cucumbers over a long period of time, and many of them. Developed from Early Fortune which was the best seller of all White Spines because of its extreme earliness, and abundant yields. Pkt. 15c. oz. 30c. 1/4 lb. 80c, lb. \$2.70, prepaid.

283. STRAIGHT EIGHT—All-America Gold Medal Winner. (66 days). The most desirable slicing cucumber you can plant. The straight slicing cucumber you can plant. The straight symmetrical fruits grow about 8 inches long and about 1½ inches in diameter. A very convenient size and shape. The color is a rich, deep green. Pkt. 15c, oz. 40c, 1/4 lb. \$1.00, lb. \$2.85, prepaid.

284. IMPROVED LONG GREEN—(67 days). (Black spined.) This is a standard late variety for home garden; excellent for slicing; hardy and prolific. Dependable. **Pkt. 10c. oz. 40c. ½** lb. \$1.00, lb. \$2.85, prepaid.

285. "A & C" or COLORADO—W. S. (68 days). A long, slender cucumber of excellent shape and intense dark green color. The fruits are 8 to 9 inches long and average 2 inches in diameter; they hold their color longer than any other type. Seeds form late in the season and are few. Pkt. 15c. oz. 30c. 1/4 lb. 80c. lb. \$2.70, prepaid.

286. THE LONGFELLOW-(70 days). W. S. (Vaughan). Ideal for home garden, forcing or shipping. One of the best long, late varieties. Excellent quality. Perfectly uniform, long, slender shape. Fruit: 12 to 15 inches long, 2% inches thick; dark green, symmetrical and attractive. Holds color and crispness well after picking. Pkt. 15c. oz. 30c, ¼ lb. 80c, lb. \$2.70, prepaid.



Marketer — A beautiful Streamlined Variety

# **CUCUMBERS**

CULTURE—Cucumbers require warm rich soil. When all danger of frost is past plant in low flat hills, 4 to 6 feet apart each way. Scatter 10 to 12 seeds in a one foot circle in each hill and cover one-half inch. If the soil is naturally poor, work a forkful of decayed manure into each hill before planting. When plants are about 5 inches tall, thin out, leaving the five strongest to each hill. Keep the soil cultivated as long as it can be done without injuring the spreading vines. Kill Squash Bugs and Cucumber beetles with Super Fort Squash Bugs and Cucumber beetles with Super Fort Bug Dust, see Page 70.

NOTE—Days from planting to picking are listed here. The letters W. S. and B. S. indicate the white spined and black spined varieties.

290. EARLIEST OF ALL. "SALZER'S 40-DAY CU-CUMBER. An ideal slicer that's also excellent for pickling, a heavy bearer and earliest of all white spine varieties. The 7 inch fruits are straight, cylindrical, blunt at ends and very dark green with pale green lines at blossom end. Pure white flesh is firm, crisp, fine grained, has few seeds. Pkt. 20c, oz. 45c, 1/4 lb. \$1.40 prepaid.



282. FARIBO HYBRID "C" - Bred for extra early crops of uniformly large exird early crops of uniformly large handsome fruits from vigorous disease-resistant Hybrid Plants. Developed by Dr. A. E. Hutchins of the Minn. Exp. Station and F. S. & N. Co. Flesh is fine-grained, sparkling white and crisp. Smooth and symmetrical in shape, with blunt ends, the accumbers are just right for pickles when young, and make perfect 8 to 9-inch slicers when full grown. Pkt. 50c, oz. \$2.50 prepaid.

288. FARIBO HYBRID "D" CUCUMBER.

Our new mid-season giant slicer Hybrid. Matures later than Hybrid "C" but grows larger, smoother, deeper colored, and spineless. Provides typical hybrid yields of long, smooth, dark green beauties, with blunt ends and small seed cavity. Similar to Straight 8 in, fruit type. Pkt. 50c. oz. \$2.50 prepaid.

### THE ALL AMERICA CUCUMBER!

289. SMOOTHIE CUCUMBER - A beautiful new 8 inch slicer with such intense deep green skin color, that the crisp, sparkling white flesh is tinged green just under the skin, making attractive, decorative salad slices. Perfect for market or home garden. Grows on the ground or climbs fence or trellis. Pkt. 25c, oz. 80c, 1/4 lb. \$2.95, lb. \$4.00 ppd.

# AU-Season CUCUMBER COLLECTION Chicago Pickling 4 Pkts.

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### PICKLE CUCUMBERS

274. MINCU CUCUMBER-Matures in about 50 days. The short oval fruits, averaging 4 inches long by 1% inches in diameter, are ideal for pickles. They are white spined with crisp white flesh and medium green skin. The vines are compact and not inclined to run extensively. A very early heavy cropper. Mincu was developed at the Minnesota Experiment Station. **Pkt. 15c. oz.** 35c, 1/4 lb. 90c, lb. \$3.10, prepaid.

275. EARLY WHITE SPINE or FORTUNE PICKLE (60 days). Popular as a "Dill" variety because it grows very straight. Fruits are square ended, 7 to 8 inches long, and 2½ inches in diameter, medium green in color, and remains in good condition a remarkably long time. Pkt. 10c, oz. 40c, 1/4 lb. \$1.00, lb. \$2.85, prepaid.

276. CHICAGO PICKLING--(59 days). B. S. Westerfield Pickling). Most widely used of the pickling varieties. Also good for slicing. Fruit: 6½ inches long, 2½ inches thick, medium green, square ended, attractive and prolific. Pkt. 15c, oz. 40c. 1/4 lb. \$1.00, lb. \$2.85, prepaid.

### Here's a MIDGET CUKE for that small garden!

277. MINNESOTA DWARF "CUKE" XII - This new Minnesota Cucumber is ideal for small gardens and for those wanting early, uniform, blunt 4 inch fruits for pickling. From one to four attractive green fruits are borne at leaf nodes the entire length of the vine. Requires small space — vines only grow 2 feet long. Plants are vigorous with large dark green leaves. Flesh is firm and sweet. Pkt. 25c, oz. 60c, postpaid.

# VEGETABLES and HERBS for the GOURMET

### **EGGPLANT**

One ounce will produce about 1,500 plants.

Sow seed in hotbed in March, when an inch high, pot in 3-inch pots. Set out about June 1st,  $2\frac{1}{2}$ 



301. MORDEN MIDGET EGGPLANT. Earliest of all eggplant on sturdy small bushy plants and smooth medium sized deep purple fruits of the highest quality. Developed by Dr. C. Walkof of Morden Man., Canada Exp. Station. Pkt. 25c.

303. FARIBO HYBRID EGG PLANT -- Another F-1 hybrid vegetable developed in Minnesota with the typical hybrid advantages of higher quality, higher yield, greater resistance to drought and disease. Tall, vigorous, semi-spreading plants produce quantities of fruits—continuously over a long season. The medium sized, oval fruits are a gorgeous deep purple color. Pkt. (15 seeds) 50c, 3 pkts. \$1.25, 5 pkts. \$1.95, prepaid.

302. BLACK BEAUTY -- Desirable for the northern states. Earlier than New York Spineless. The fruits are broad, thick, of most attractive form and finest flavor. Their rich, lustrous, purple color is very uniform. Pkt. 15c, 1/2 oz. 35c, oz. 60c, 1/4 lb. \$2.20, prepaid.

# NOVEL, TASTY NEW WHITE EGGPLANT

300. WHITE BEAUTY - A more delicious flavor and earlier maturity are features of this beautiful new snow white eggplant. A unique table delicacy. Convenient, medium sized fruits are held off the ground, free of blemishes. Pkt. 25c.





### ENDIVE

One ounce of seed will plant 100 feet of drill.

An excellent salad for fall and early winter use. Sow seeds outdoors the middle of April; small sowings can be made every three weeks. For fall and winter crop sow in July.

304. FLORIDA DEEP HEART—(88 days.) A great improvement over the Broad Leaved Batavian; the plant is large and vigorous, with broad, thick leaves; many infolding leaves form a deep compact heart, well-blanched and of excellent quality. Pkt. 15c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 65c, lb. \$1.85.

305. GREEN CURLED--A very beautiful sort of which the leaves are very light colored, even the outer ones being nearly white. crisp and tender. Pkt. 15c. oz. 25c. 1/4 lb. 55c. lb. \$1.65, prepaid.

### HERBS

### PUT MAGIC IN YOUR COOKING! KITCHEN HERB GARDEN OFFER

Make your cooking the talk of the town, by knowing how to grow and use herbs! We ofter a collection of herb PLANTS (selected by experts) for a complete little herb garden, with detailed instructions for growing herbs, and cooking with herbs. Write for KITCHEN HERB GARDEN OFFER.

### THESE CAN BE GROWN FROM SEED:

306. DILL-Seeds have an aromatic odor and pungent taste. Used for pickles. Pkt. 15c. oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 75c. prepaid.

# Garden HUCKLEBERRIES



Make Delicious Pies, and Jams Preserves

> 313. The berries are borne in clusters and when ripe are a shining black color, about 1/2 to 3/4 inch in diameter. Plants grow 3 feet tall and thrive in any soil. Culture same as for tomatoes. Pkt. 15c, 1/2 oz. 40c, oz. 65c, ppd.

Fruits are not edible until fully ripe, when they're jet black and thoroughly soft, as they would be after first frost.

### RECIPE FOR HUCKLEBERRY PIE

Wash and stem 2½ quarts berries, cover with water and let come to a boil. Add ½ teaspoon soda, boil one minute and drain. Add one cup cold water to berries, cook until soft, then mash and add 11/2 cups sugar, juice of ½ lemon and boil about 15 minutes. Remove from stove and cool. When ready to put in pie crust add one tablespoon tapioca. Dot with butter, add top crust and bake.

308. MARIORAM-The young, tender tops are used green for flavoring, or they may be dried for winter use, for flavoring broths, dressings, etc. Pkt. 15c, 1/2 oz. 60c, prepaid.

309. SAGE-The leaves and tops are used very extensively for season ing. Pkt. 15c, 1/2 oz. 60c. prepaid.

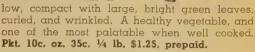
310. SUMMER SA-VORY—A hardy annual. The dried stems, leaves and flowers are fine for flavoring soups, dressings, etc. Pkt. 15c.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 75c, prepaid.

311. THYME—The young leaves and tops are used for seasoning soups, in dressings, etc. Pkt. 15c, 1/2 oz. 60c, pre-

### KALE

Grown for its foliage which is used as "greens"; does not form heads. Can be sown late, as plants continue to grow late in the season. A heavy frost improves the flavor and auality.

314. DWARF GREEN CURLED - Plant is



316. TALL GREEN CURLED SCOTCH-Hardy plants with leaves deeply cut; curied at edges, light green in color. Very tender after exposure to frost, Pkt. 10c, oz. 35c, 1/4 lb. \$1.25, prepaid.



One ounce of seed for 100 feet of row Sow the seed in light, rich soil as early in spring as possible. Thin to 6 inches apart in the row. Sow at intervals of 10 days for successive crops. Ready for use when 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter.

317. EARLY PURPLE-(62 days.) Dwarf plants having short, green leaves with purple stems and veins. Bulbs globular purple, with white, tender flesh. Pkt. 15c, 1/2 oz. 25c, oz. 45c, prepaid. 318. EARLY WHITE VIENNA-Very handsome, white fruit. Excellent both for forcing and open ground; flesh white and very tender; short. Pkt. 15c, 1/2 oz. 25c, oz. 45c, prepaid.

### LEEK A Species of Onion

Though belonging to the onion family, the flavor is milder and subtly different used in soups and stews. 319. LONDON FLAG—Stems 8 to 10 inches long, 1 1/2 inches thick, white and attractive. Pkt. 10c, 1/2 oz. 60c, 1 oz. \$1.00, prepaid.

### CHIVES

320. CHIVE SEED-It's easy to grow this perennial herb. Slender tubular leaves, when finely chopped give delicate onion flavor plus decoration in seasoning salads, soups, etc. Attractive lavender flowers make it a beautiful and useful border plant. Pkt. 15c, oz. 65c, postpaid.

### OKRA or GUMBO

One ounce of seed will sow 50 feet of row

Okra pods are used in soups, stews, salads, catsup and relishes. A hot weather plant.

395. DWARF GREEN—Grows low, is very productive. Pkt. 15c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 65c, prepaid.

### PLEASONING, The Spice of Your Lifetime!

Make your cooking the talk of the town! Make your cooking the talk of the town! Here's a rare seasoning used by famous chefs and expert cooks. A gournet's delight compounded of many choice herbs finely ground into a salt that's tasty yet mild. Makes your favorite recipes taste better! Introductory size 39c; 4 oz. Family Size (many weeks supply) \$1.00; 12 oz. Chef Size \$2.50 ppd. (Salt-Free Diet Formula available in 69c size and \$1.75 pkg. all ppd.)



LEAF LETTUCE is Quick to Grow!



No. 321, "SALAD BOWL" LEAF LETTUCE

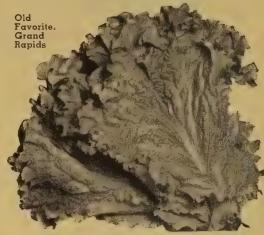
321. SALAD BOWL—The All America Gold Medal leaf lettuce released by U.S.D.A. A single plant just fills a salad bowl with a perfect rosette of decorative, wavy, rich green Jeaves that retain their superb quality, tenderness and fine texture for long periods. It has the crisp, refreshing appearance of endive or escarole. Pkt. 15c, oz. 55c, 1/4 lb. \$1.80, ppd.

322. SLOBOLT -- (45 days). As indicated by its name, this variety continues to develop good palatable, leaf lettuce during the entire summer season, without bolting to seed. The leaves are light green, attractively crumpled and frilled. Pkt. 15c. oz. 50c. 1/4 lb. \$1.75, prepaid.

328. RUBY — 1958 All America Red Leaf Lettuce. A beautiful new fancy frilled salad lettuce of crisp loose-leaf type. Its rich, deep red color meets the increasing demand for a colorful leaf lettuce to replace red cabbage in mixed salads. These ornamental frilly leaves are sweet, succulent and superior to Grand Rapids when young. Heat resistant and decorative even in the flower border. Pkt. 25c, One-half oz. will sow 100 feet of row

CULTURE OF LEAF LETTUCE—Sow outdoors as soon as the ground opens, covering seed 1/4 inch. When plants are 3 or 4 inches tall, thin out to stand 6 inches apart. In harvesting, cut lettuce above the crown and it will grow new leaves. For fall use, sow in August.

323. SALAD TRIM—A new and novel red leaf lettuce that can make your salads a colorful work of art! Grows sweet, crisp, crinkly leaves of Cos or Romaine type, but with a rich, purplish-red color over entire leaf. It's really different! Pkt. 15c, oz. 55c, ppd.



325. GRAND RAPIDS - (43 days). One of the most popular loose-leaved varieties. Excellent for early planting and greenhouse forcing. It is very early, hardy, and disease resistant and is exceptionally tender when grown under glass. Handsome leaves are light green, broad, wavy, curly and heavily fringed. Pkt. 15c, oz. 40c, 1/4 lb. \$1.25, prepaid.



OAK LEAF RETAINS ITS DELICATE FLAVOR EVEN IN HOT WEATHER-NEVER TURNS BITTER.

324. OAK LEAF-(40 days). The rich green of its leaves, its tenderness and resistance to hot weather, have made Oak Leaf the most popular lettuce for home gardens. If plants are thinned to stand 6 inches apart, they form loose heads, and the base of each leaf turns crisp and cream colored, with a tenderness unequalled by any other. Pkt. 15c. oz. 40c. 1/4 lb. \$1.25, prepaid.

326. BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON-(46 days). Large rich green leaves, thin, tender and crisp, forming a loose head. One of the most vigorous varieties in hot weather and slow to run to seed. Especially adapted to the home garden. Pkt. 10c. oz. 40c. 1/4 lb. \$1.25, ppd.

329. PRIZEHEAD - (46 days). An early, quick-growing, non-heading sort. Leaves are broad, crumpled and frilled; outside leaves tinged red, inner leaves wholly green; very crisp, sweet and tender. Pkt. 15c, oz. 40c, 1/4 lb. \$1.25, prepaid.

# oz. 65c, prepaid. Marvelous Bibb Lettu Start HEAD LETTUCE Indoors! fine hotels and

CULTURE Start the seed in hotbed

in early April in upper Midwest area, covering 1/4 inch. When 2 inches tall, transplant seedlings to 4 inches apart. When ground is warm, transplant to garden, I foot apart. For general crop sow outdoors in April and May and thin out to 10 inches apart.

The secret of growing head Lettuce is to start seeds early indoors, in hotbeds or flats, and transplant seedlings to open garden when danger of severe frost is past.

One-half oz. will sow 100 ft. of row. 334. GREAT LAKES

(75 days). This new lettuce is distinguished for its ability to produce tight heads in hot weather, for its resistance to tipburn and for its reluctance to run to seed. Of the Iceberg type, with large thick leaves folding well over the head. Especially bred as a summer lettuce for the Middle West. Pkt. 15c. oz. 55c, ¼ lb. \$1.80, prepaid.

### 338. PENNLAKE

(82 days).—An All-America head lettuce from Penn. State College. The result of crossing Imperial and Great Lakes, combining desirable features of both types. Solid, very uniform, somewhat conical heads, well protected by wrapper leaves, are readily formed. Because of its crisp, dark green, smooth foliage, it belongs in the Great Lakes class, without the objectional lakes class, without the objectional lakes. Great Lakes class, without the objectionable prominent Great Lakes "ribbiness." Pkt. 15c, oz. 55c, 1/4 lb. \$1.80, prepaid.

335. CRISP-AS-ICE — (74 days). A popular sort for the home garden. Forms compact medium-sized head, well blanched and of delicate flavor. Leaves thick and crumpled; deep green overlaid with dark brown, giving a bronze appearance. Pkt. 15c. oz. 40c. 1/4 lb. \$1.25, prepaid.

336. BIBB—(57 days). Smooth, dark green leaves and a small firm head, which blanches to an appetizing cream. Very tender and of excellent quality, it is always in great demand by the luxury hotels. We recommend it for early spring planting. Pkt. 15c, oz. 50c, 1/4 lb. \$1.75, prepaid.

### Midget 332-TOM THUMB

(65 days). A miniature butter-head type, with small, firm heads of excellent quality. Leaves are dark green and very crumpled. The midget heads are highly prized for serving whole as individual salads. Popular for indoor and window box planting as well as for outdoor planting in spring and fall. Pkt. 15c. oz. 50c. 1/4 lb. \$1.75, prepaid.

ROMAINE or COS LETTUCE

330. WHITE PARIS—W.S. (70 days). Considered the finest of all lettuces in flavor. Famous chefs prefer it for salad because of its tenderness and delicious flavor. Selffolding, with dark green leaves forming oval-shaped heads with greenish-white The entire plant is tender and palatable. Cos Lettuce is easy to grow, slow to bolt to seed during hot weather and does not require much space in the garden as it is upright growing. Pkt. 15c, oz. 40c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.25, prepaid.

# MUSKMELONS For Midwest and Northern Gardens!

### 356. Minnesota Midget

Color Photo on Page 1 — Matures in 60 days. Here's a real find for the garden with limited space. The vines grow only 3 feet long and produce surprising numbers of luscious little 4-inch melons, just right for individual serving. High in sugar content, they have a small seed cavity and deep orange flesh — edible to the rind. Pkt. 25c, oz. 60c, prepaid.



All-America Pennsweet Muskmelon

### 351. PENNSWEET

University of Pennsylvania's All America winner matures delicious little 6 inch oval fruits with thick, juicy sweet flesh, and elegant flavor in only two months time. It's the perfect size for individual serving. Compact plants spread only 3 to 4 feet and ripen lots of fruits, even in the north. Pkt. 25c. oz. 60c. ppd.

### 353. FARNORTH

An Ideal Melon for Northern gardens. Developed by R. M. Wilson at Indian Head, Saskatchewan, improved by Chas. Walkof, Morden, Manitoba Experiment Station. Our strain, inbred and selected by Minnesota Dept. of Horticulture. Sweet, juicy, appetizing, 4 to 5-inch fruits on small vines. Thick salmon-colored flesh with small seed cavity. Pkt. 25c, oz. 60c. 1/4 lb. \$1.75 prepaid.



Minnesota Honey

A full sized, quality melon for the North. Medium early. A big new, top quality, 7 to 9 pound melon with very thick flesh that's real sweet and flavorful. Large handsome, smooth, semi-oval fruits with thin rind, heavily netted ribless skin, and solid juicy flesh of high sugar content. Fusarium resistant. Pkt. 25c. oz. 60c, 1/4 lb. \$1.75 prepaid.

350. Minnesota HONEY



Earliest F1 Hybrid — "Super Market"

### 360. FARIBO SUPERMARKET HYBRID

America's earliest true hybrid muskmelon ripens fruit in 84 days on vigorous vines with strong resistance to Fusarium and Downey Mildew. Bears astounding crops of 6 to 7 inch, round fruits averaging 4 to 5 lbs., with thick, firm, deep salmon flesh that's very sweet and appetizing. Tough rind, attractively ribbed and netted, stands shipping. Pkt. 50c, 1/2 oz. \$5.95, oz. \$8.95 ppd.

One ounce will plant 60 hills. Two to three pounds per acre.

CULTURE—Muskmelons require warm, rich soil, slightly sandy. Plant when all danger of frost is past, in hills 6 feet apart each way, 8 to 10 seeds to a hill. After danger of insects is past, thin out to 3 to 4 plants to a hill. Muskmelons should be left to ripen on the vine, until they come off easily when given a slight pull or twist.

352. SPARTAN ROCK — Michigan State University's new early ripening, fusarium resistant market melon tested highest in sugar content in all our trials. Moderately small, almost round, heavily netted melons, with thick rind and bright orange flesh, average 2 to 3 pounds each and make two individual servings when cut in half. Ripens a week before Iroquois and Delicious 51. Pkt. 25c, oz. 60c. 1/4 lb. \$1.75 prepaid.

**354.** HARVEST QUEEN — 95 days. Similar to Queen of Colorado in size, shape, attractive heavy netting and very shallow ribs, in its thick, tough rind, and fine quality sweet, solid flesh, but Harvest Queen is fusarium wilt resistant, therefore more dependable. Fruits average  $5\frac{1}{2}$  by  $6\frac{1}{2}$  inches. Pkt. 15c, oz. 40c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.25, prepaid.

355. GOLDEN GOPHER—85 days. Developed by Minnesota Experiment Station for resistance to fusarium wilt, this melon is of the Pride of Wisconsin type, with the same thick, fine-flavored orange flesh. Oval in shape, with light but coarse netting, fruits weigh only about 3½ lbs. and are 5¼ inches in diameter. Pkt. 15c, oz. 45c, ¼ lb. \$1.25, lb. \$4.25, prepaid.

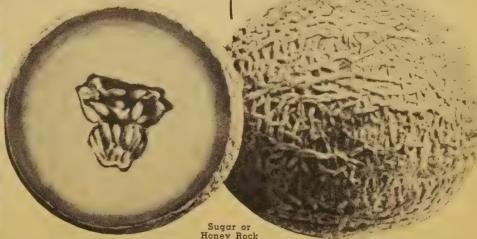
357. SUGAR OR HONEY ROCK—85 days. A money-maker and a source of pride for every grower. Handsome in appearance, distinctive in flavor. Sweet as sugar, solid as a rock and easy to grow. Fruit: nearly round, about 6 inches in diameter. Weight: 4 lbs. Skin greygreen, covered with coarse netting. Flesh: thick, juicy, orange color, with fine flavor. Pkt. 15c. oz. 40c. 1/4 lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.25, prepaid.

358. HALE'S BEST---80 days. Popular early shipping cantaloupe. Flavor and quality excellent, and withstands drought. Can be shipped long distances. Fruit: oval, 6½ inches long, almost devoid of ribbing, covered with heavy netting. Flesh: extremely thick, orange color, sweet and of fine flavor. Pkt. 15c. oz. 40c. 1/4 lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.25, prepaid.

359. PRIDE OF WISCONSIN—90 days. Developed from a cross of Honey Rock and Hearts of Gold. Grows well in heavy soil. Fruits are oval in shape, and weigh about 3¾ lbs. The rind is very hard, of a pearly gray color, faintly ribbed and heavily covered with a distinctive netting. The orange flesh is solid, thick and very sweet, with a compact seed cavity. Pkt. 15c. oz. 40c, 1¼ lb. \$1.00. lb. \$3.25, prepaid.



Farnorth ripens melons in the far North!



Garibo ONION SEED Faribo Hybrid Yellow Globe

CULTURE - The richer the soil, the better the crop will be. Plenty of fertilizer, well spaded in, is essential. Sow the seed as early as the ground can be worked, in rows 15 to 18 inches apart, covering 1/2 inch deep. When the seedlings are 3 to 4 inches tall, they should be thinned out to stand 3 inches apart in the row. Keep free from weeds.

KILL ROOT MAGGOT

Simply dust soil with NOMAG! Home Garden Size, 60c 4 lb. Bag, \$2.95, postpaid



Long Keeping STORAGE ONIONS

400. FARIBO HYBRID YELLOW GLOBE - A remarkable new HYBRID onion that matures earlier, yet keeps longer, runs more uniform in size, shape and color and yields more No. 1 bulbs, than ordinary onion strains. Also the deep globe shaped bulbs grow somewhat larger, with an attractive, light brown tight skin that withstands handling and storage. It features the typical hybrid advantages of exceptional uniform maturity and quality. Pkt. 25c, oz. \$1.00, ½ lb. \$3.50, ppd.

401. SOUTHPORT RED GLOBE-113 days. The finest of the red onions. Bulbs perfectly round, of good size, with small neck and thick, deep purplish red skin; flesh white, tinged with pink; a wonderful keeper and a heavy yielder. Pkt. 15c, oz. 60c, 1/4 lb. \$1.50, lb. \$4.50, prepaid.

402. EARLY YELLOW GLOBE-98 days. A money-maker for the early market. Ten days earlier than Southport Yellow Globe, and an exceptionally good keeper for so early a variety. Bulbs semi-globe shape, solid, uniform and attractive, with deep yellow color. Pkt. 15c, oz. 60c, 1/4 lb. \$1.50, lb. \$4.50, prepaid.

403. SOUTHPORT YELLOW GLOBE-112 days. A handsome, golden yellow globe, with tough, clinging skins. Flesh white, with creamy tone. Will keep in storage longer than any other. Pkt. 15c, oz. 60c, 1/4 lb. \$1.50, lb. \$4.50, prepaid.

404. BRIGHAM YELLOW GLOBE-110 days. Highly productive, with exceptional keeping qualities. Bulbs globular with rounded bottom; a deeper blockier type than Yellow Globe Danvers; solid, well covered with tight-fitting, thick skins. Pkt. 15c, oz. 60c, 1/4 lb. \$1.50, lb. \$4.50, prepaid.

407. YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS-110 days. Hardy and a good cropper, Medium large, round, yellow, firm, with small neck. Flesh white, with slight yellow tone. Pkt. 15c, oz. 60c, 1/4 lb. \$1.50, lb. \$4.50, prepaid.

410. SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE-110 days. A very attractive pure white onion. Bulbs round, solid, medium sized, with thin delicate skin. Flesh waxy white, fine grained and mild. Keeps well in fall storage. Pkt. 15c, oz. 60c, 1/4 lb. \$1.50, lb. \$4.50, prepaid.

### NEWEST HIGH YIELDING LONG STORAGE HYBRID ONIONS

408. HYBRID GLOBE AUTUMN SPICE - A late mid-season Hybrid featuring remarkable keeping qualities. In storage tests from harvest to March 10th, Autumn Spice showed 43% less spoilage than Brigham Yellow Globe, and the high percentage of marketable bulbs from storage really pays off. Bulbs are medium size, round extremely hard, with very pungent creamy white flesh. They run amazingly uniform in size, shape and time of maturity. The heavy brown shell is well retained. Pkt. 25c, oz. \$1.00, 1/4 lb. \$3.50 ppd.

415. HYBRID GLOBE ARISTOCRAT—Another standout hybrid maturing late mid-season and boasting a very attractive deep globe shape with firm flesh and medium dark brown scales that adhere well throughout its remarkably long storage life. Both plants and bulbs are exceptionally uniform. Its very high yields and long storage life are proven in extensive tests. Pkt. 25c, oz. \$1.00, 1/4 lb. \$3.50 ppd.

416. HYBRID GLOBE ELITE - This cross between Early Yellow Globe and Brigham imbreds makes a good keeping onion of moderately strong flavor. It has high globe shape, fairly firm flesh, bright yellowish-brown scales that are retained fairly well in storage. It has repeatedly outyielded both Brigham and Early Yellow Globe and it's much more uniform. Pkt. 25c, oz. \$1.00, 1/4 lb. \$3.50 ppd.

417. HYBRID GLOBE EPOCH — A midseason maturing hybrid producing extra uniform deep globes that retain their dark yellow-brown scales throughout their long storage life. A most attractive market onion with firm creamy white flesh. Yields are not quite as high as other hybrids, but it matures earlier, and outyields its Brigham parent. Pkt. 25c. oz. \$1.00. 1/4 lb. \$3.50 ppd.

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### SWEET ONIONS

414. FARIBO HYBRID SWEET SPANISH. Matures big crisp sweet mild slicers MUCH EARLIER than any other Spanish strain. This new yellow Spanish HYBRID yields far more No. 1 bulbs, that run amazingly uniform in size, quality, and time of maturity. Makes beautiful big, smooth firm onions that not only mature earlier, but keep longer than other Spanish strains. A market money-maker. Pkt. 25c, oz. \$1.00. 1/4 lb. \$3.50 prepaid.

412. SWEET SPANISH OR VALENCIA - 110 days. A mild, sweet, giant onion. Bulbs globular with small neck, pure white flesh and yellow skin, firm and delicious at all stages of growth. Pkt. 15c, oz. 65c, 1/4 lb. \$1.70, lb. \$5.00, prepaid.

413. WHITE BERMUDA OR CRYSTAL WAX-90 days. Both skin and flesh clear white; of mild delicate flavor. Bulbs very flat; medium sized. Pkt. 15c, oz. 65c, 1/4 lb. \$1.70, lb. \$5.00,

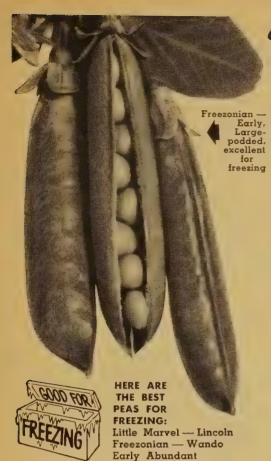
### **BEST for BUNCHING**



420. HE-SHI-KO -80 days. A bulbless bunching variety, grown for its long, slender, pure white stems. Tender and of delicate flavor, the onions are produced in clusters and are double the size of ordinary bunching onions. Pkt. 15c, oz. 70c, 1/4 lb. \$1.75, prepaid.

425. LISBON WHITE BUNCHING — (Annual). Exceptionally early green bunching onion. An annual which forms small bulbs for green table onions — of real quality and mild flavor. Used by leading gardeners for the early market. Pkt. 15c, oz. 70c, 1/4 lb. \$1.75, prepaid.

428. WHITE PORTUGAL OR SILVER SKIN -(Medium Early). An all-purpose onion, excellent for sets, as a pickler, for green bunching or storage. Bulbs: medium size, thick flat, clear white, hard, fine grained and of pleasing flavor. Pkt. 15c. oz. 70c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.75, prepaid.



# Be Sure to Try these **Novelty Peas**

### For the SMALL GARDEN!

460. TINY TIM MIDGET PEAS—(58 days). A brand new midget variety developed by Dr. Walkof of Morden, Canada. It's extra early, requires little garden space, and bears great quantities 3 inch pods packed full of tender, sugary peas on vines growing only 6 to 9 inches high! Big Pkt. 25c, 1/2 lb. 65c, lb. 95c, 5 lbs. \$3.45, postpaid.

### EAT POD and ALL!

Cook the pods like green beans 492. DWARF SUGAR — (68 days). Sugar Peas have the tenderness and fleshy podded qualities of snap beans, and the flavor and sweetness of fresh green peas. When young, pods are stringless, brittle and succulent. The vines grow to a height of 26 inches, and should be given support. Mammoth pkt. 20c. 1/2 lb. 50c. lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

### F. S. & N. Co's Succession Collection

Fresh Peas All Summer!

IMPORTANT—All varieties in this collection must be planted at one time, as early in the spring as the ground can be worked, and they will mature in succession.

LITTLE MARVEL FREEZONIAN WANDO

# GARDEN PEAS Sweeter

One pound will plant 100 feet of drill

CULTURE—Peas must be planted as soon as the ground can be worked. Sow in rows 2 feet Early, eties must be supported with light stakes, brush Large- or Train-Etts. See below.

# **Early Peas**

461. EARLY ABUNDANT PEAS - (64 days). A new and better pea with the same maturity and vine size as the ever popular Little Marvel, but pods are larger and even more abundant, and contain smaller, sugary-sweet peas! Also outyields Marvel. Mammoth. Pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

462. AMERICAN WONDER-(61 days). Our stock is the true extra-dwarf, early strain. Popular with home gardeners and very productive. Plants 12 to 14 inches high; pods contain 6 peas, large and very sweet. Mammoth pkt. 20c. ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

463. LAXTON'S PROGRESS-(62 days). Most experts consider this the best of the largepodded, large-fruited wrinkled peas. Very productive, with 4-inch pods of a handsome deep green, filled with 8 to 10 dark green peas of luscious flavor. Vines  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet. **Mammoth pkt.** 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

464.—LITTLE MARVEL—(64 days). A favorite for the average home garden, as it remains in prime condition a week longer than older sorts. The 18-inch vines are hardy and very productive, with dark green pods, usually in pairs filled with 7 to 8 large, tender, sugary peas. Mammoth pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

465. PREMIUM GEM-(64 days). A highly productive, medium early variety, recommended for the home garden and for canning. Dark green 20-inch vines, heavily set with light green pods containing 6 to 7 peas of good quality. Mammoth pkt. 20c, 1/2 lb. 50c. lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

466. FREEZONIAN—(62 days). For sweetness, for delicious flavor, and for quality in quick freezing, there's none finer. It's an improved, bigger, huskier strain of Thomas Laxton. Vigorous, wilt resistant, 40 inch vines bear heavy loads of uniform  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inch blunt pods, well filled with big tender peas, high in sugar content. Mammoth pkt. 20c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 85c,

Early Abundant is Unsurpassed in Quality and Yield.

# Extra Early PEAS

452. EARLY ALASKA-(57 days). Smooth Seeded. A hardy variety for earliest planting. Pod contains 6 to 8 peas of good The light green, slender plants grow 28 inches high and mature uniform-A profitable early sort for market gardeners. Mammoth pkt. 20c. 1/2 lb. 50c. lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.





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# **Main Crop Peas**

471. WANDO—(70 days). Two foot plants with clean, dark green foliage produce 8 to 10 peas in thickly set, straight, glossy green, 3-inch pods. Excellent for freezing or canning; for market or home garden. Mammoth pkt. 20c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

472. LINCOLN-(68 days). Now recognized as the most perfect freezer pea. Plants grow 2 feet. Very heavy producers of slightly curved pods, containing 7 to 8 excellent quality peas that do not split when blanched for freezing. Mammoth pkt. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

473. POTLATCH OR STRATAGEM—(78 days). The Best Dwarf Late Pea, Famous for its heavy yield of immense deep green pods, packed with 8 to 10 large, tender peas of finest quality. Healthy, bluish green vines 2 feet high, bear continuously from July 1st to 15th. Mammoth pkt. 20c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

485. TALL TELEPHONE—(74 days). The Standard Large-Podded Late Pea. Bears uniformly large, handsome pods, 5 inches or more long, filled with 8 to 9 delicious peas. Vines grow 4 feet high and yield a heavy crop. Excellent for freezing, shipping and for the home garden. Mammoth pkt. 20c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 85c, 5 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.



PEPPERS THAT RIPEN IN THE NORTH!

One ounce of seed for 1,500 plants.

CULTURE—Sow seed in flats, or in the hotbed in March or April, and transplant seedlings, when 3 or 4 inches high to other flats or to paper pots. About the last of May, transplant to the garden, in rich, well-prepared soil, setting the plants in rows 3 feet apart, 20 inches apart in rows.

530. FARIBO HYBRID PEPPER—A new F-1 hybrid producing very early medium sized, shapely, smooth, thick fleshed peppers. Matures in season with Harris Earliest, yet fruits are much larger and more uniform, of Cal Wonder type. Ideal for stuffing and baking, and for salads. Pkt. 50c ppd.

531. MORGOLD — Earliest of all big fruited peppers. You can ripen big, sweet, golden yellow peppers on compact midget plants, even in the most northern areas. These dwarf umbrella-shaped plants average 12 inches high, bear 7 to 10 large, full bodied, thick-walled fruits averaging 4 inches long. Ripe fruits are big beautiful glossy golden yellow and extremely sweet. Developed by Dr. Chas. Walkof at the Morden, Canada Exp. Station. Pkt. 20c, 1/2 oz. 60c prepaid.

532. KING OF THE NORTH—(64 days). An early large pepper especially valuable in northern states. Fruits are enormous in size and color up  $\alpha$ brilliant red much earlier than any other large sort. They average 6 inches long, 4 inches across. The flesh is thick, firm, very sweet and mild. Plants are literally covered with large peppers. Often one plant will have 8 to 10 mature fruits. Pkt. 15c. 1/2 oz. 45c, oz. 75c, prepaid.

533. WISCONSIN LAKES PEPPER - A new early maturing sweet pepper developed at the U. of Wisconsin and now offered for the first time. A heavy producer of the most attractive fruits of any pepper variety. Fruits average 31/2 inches across the shoulders and about 5 inches in length. They ripen to a gorgeous brilliant scarlet color even in Northern gardens. Pkt. 20c, 1/2 oz. 60c prepaid.

538. LONG RED CAYENNE - (70 days). Fruits grow 5 inches long,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, often curled and twisted, bright red, very hot. Easily dried for winter. Pkt. 15c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45c, prepaid.



535. ACANQUA — This novel sweet pepper has huge 7 to 9 inch fruits tapering to a point like "the horn of plenty". Exceedingly sweet, meaty and mild. Early maturing, excellent for stuffing and baking. Very prolific. Pkt. 25c ppd.

536. CALIFORNIA WONDER - (68 days). A real quality pepper, mild and sweet. It pro. The beautiful rich green leaves of Curled Parsley duces smooth uniform fruits 4 inches in diameter and 5 inches long, mostly 4-lobed. The color is deep green, changing to bright crimson at maturity. The flesh is solid and thick. Pkt. 15c, 1/2 oz. 50c, oz. 80c, prepaid.

537. LARGE BELL or BULL NOSE—(58 days). A popular early sweet variety. The first on the early market. Plants: small, erect, prolific. Fruits: 3 inches long, 23/4 inches thick; blunt, deep green-changing to scarlet red; sweet, mild in flavor. Pkt. 15c, 1/2 oz. 45c, oz. 75c, ppd.

### PARSLEY

One ounce of seed sows 200 feet

Sow seeds as early in spring as possible, in shallow drills, covering with about  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch soil. Three to four weeks are required for germination.

430. MOSS CURLED-Dwarf and compact in habit, with densely curled and finely cut leaves of a rich dark green color. Should be freely used in salads, soups and sauces, as it is a valuable source of vitamins A, C, and B<sub>1</sub>, and it supplies calcium, phosphorus, iron and copper. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. 65c, lb. \$1.85, prepaid.

431. HAMBURG OR THICK-ROOTED—The thick fleshy roots form the edible part of the plant, and impart a delicate Parsley flavor when used in soups and stews. **Pkt. 10c, oz.** 25c, ½ lb. 65c, lb. \$1.85, prepaid.



### **PARSNIPS**

ounce of seed sows 200 feet



Sow outdoors about April 15th in drills 2 feet apart; cover seed with 1/2 inch soil, thin out to 4 inches apart.

435. WHITE MODEL-(95 days). The Smoothest and Whitest Parsnip. Of medium length, fine shape and clean, smooth skin; flesh tender, sweet and fine textured. Pkt. 15c. oz. 25c. 1/4 lb. 75c, lb. \$2.25, prepaid.

436. HOLLOW CROWN (Guernsey)-(95 days). Roots about 12 inches long, uniformly tapered, with a diameter at top of 2½ inches. Tender and sugary. Pkt. 15c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 65c. lb. \$1.75, prepaid.

### PEANUTS

443. EARLY SPANISH-The earliest variety, and best for the North. Plants are upright and compact, with small pods and nuts of fine flavor. Large pkt. 15c, ½ lb. 40c, lb. 75c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.

444. LARGE VIRGINIA-The main crop peanut, and the most extensively grown. Plants are erect, and of vigorous, rapid growth, with very large pods and nuts. Fine for dry, sandy soil. Large pkt. 15c, 1/2 ib. 40c, lb. 75c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, prepaid.



# PUMPKINS

One oz. for 30 hills, 5 lbs. per acre. Plant like squash 3 to 4 seeds per hill and thin to 2 plants per hill.

544. YOUNGS BEAUTY — For holiday trade, here's a money-maker: New, better, more dependable globeshaped pumpkins almost as uniform as peas in a pod! They're really round, not flattened. Ideal size and shape for Hallowe'en and holiday decorations — larger than Sugar Pie, smaller than field pumpkins. Hard, moderately ribbed skin of beautiful rich orange. Pkt. 15c. oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 75c, lb. \$2.25 ppd.

542. SUGAR PIE—(108 days). Most desirable for pies. Very fine grained, sweet and a splendid winter keeper. Fruits: 10 inches thick, weight 6 to 8 lbs.; skin, hard, smooth, somewhat ribbed, deep orange. Flesh: thick, sweet, orange-yellow, and of high quality. **Pkt. 15c. oz.** 25c, 1/4 lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50, 5 lbs. \$6.75, prepaid.

541. JACK-O-LANTERN. Your "Small-fry" will love to grow this for Jack-O-Lanterns. Smooth, round, orange fruits about the size of a man's head, with thick orange-yellow flesh, keep well. Pkt. 15c. oz. 30c. 1/4 lb. 75c, ppd.

### FIELD PUMPKINS

545. DICKINSON FIELD — Commercial canners prefer its exceptionally high sugar and protein content. Often produces 25 tons to the acre. Fruits are large, elongated, and weigh from 15 to 20 lbs. The color is a deep, clear, golden yellow throughout. For pies, canning, stock feed. Pkt. 15c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25, 5 lbs. \$5.45, prepaid.



### 543-CHEYENNE

New Pie Pumpkin of True Bush Type

(100 days). A genuine bush form pumpkin, recently introduced by the U.S.D.A. at their Wyoming station. Of small, handy size, the fruits are brilliant orange, with fine-grained, solid flesh, of deep golden-yellow, excellent for pies. Plants are very prolific. Pkt. 15c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 75c. lb. \$2.25, prepaid.



551. CHERRY BELLE (22 days). Developed in Holland. Round, smooth, brilliant scarlet radishes, resemble cherries. Flesh: white, crisp, firm, retains good eating quality a long time. Features: earliness, exceptional resistance to pithiness, ideal shape and color, slender taproots, short tops. Pkt. 15c. oz. 30c. 1/4 lb. 60c. lb. \$1.70, prepaid.

**550. CAVALIER**—(24 days). The best short top scarlet globe. It's early, a rapid grower, with α brilliant scarlet color that's most attracive. Radishes are true olive shape, very uniform, crisp and mild, and remain solid α long time. **Pkt. 15c. oz. 30c.** ½ **lb. 60c. lb. \$1.70, prepaid.** 

554. EARLY SCARLET TURNIP WHITE TIP—(26 days). A table dainty, crisp, tender and sweet, It is turnip-shaped, bright scarlet with a white tip, appealing to the eye and palate. Pkt. 15c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.70, prepaid.

Wormy Root Crops?

# NOMAG for Root Maggots

Now you can avoid having wormy radishes in your garden. Protect your carrots, onions, turnips, cabbage and cauliflower from the usual Root Maggot damage, by simply dusting NO MAG on the soil. Home Garden Size, 60c ppd.



FIRECRACKER Very Early-Remains crisp and mild long after maturing. 556. FIRECRACKER -(22 days). Distinct in type, this radish is long and slender, vivid scarlet in color and although very early, it remains crisp and tender much longer than other early sorts. Seed of this variety was formerly imported, but we have succeeded in growing our own seed. Pkt. 15c. oz. 30c, ½ lb. 60c, lb. \$1.70. prepaid.

Firecracker

# Crisp, Tender Early RADISHES

One ounce will sow 100 feet of drill, 9 to 10 pounds per acre.

CULTURE—Quick growth makes Radishes crisp and tender, and to grow well, they must have cool weather and light, rich soil. Cover seed ½ inch. To have a continuous supply for the table, sow as early in the spring as possible, and at intervals of 10 days thereafter until May 15th. To have Radishes in fall, three sowings of early varieties may be made at weekly intervals, beginning August 15th.

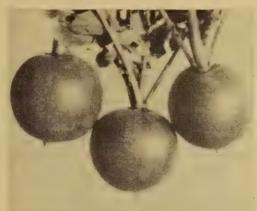
557. EARLY SCARLET GLOBE—(24 days). Very early crisp, mild and tender. Bright scarlet in color, of uniform globe shape. One of the best for forcing and outdoor planting. Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c, ½ 1b. 60c, lb. \$1.70, prepaid.

**558.** CRIMSON GIANT—(28 days). Largest of all the early round radishes, of fine mild quality, it remains in perfect condition until an inch in diameter. Pkt. 15c. oz. 30c. \(^1/\_4\) lb. 60c. lb. \$1.70. prepaid.



French breakfast—excellent for the home garden—early, sweet, crisp and tender.

559. FRENCH BREAKFAST—(25 days). A splendid variety for home use, oblong, blunt, about 2 inches long, it is rich scarlet in color, with a white tip. Flesh is solid, crisp and sweet. Pkt. 15c. oz. 30c. 1/4 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.70, prepaid.



All America Champion Radish

553. CHAMPION — (28 days). The new All America king size radish. Remains crisp and firm up to silver dollar size. Keeps prime quality longer than others. Its sparkling scarlet color glistens appealingly inside plastic supermarket bags. Pkt. 25c, oz. 90c, 1/4 lb. \$2.25, lb. \$3.45, ppd.



RABBITS RUIN YOUR GARDEN?
Spray carrots, peas, beans, tulips, flowers, with push-button can of ZIP DEER & RABBIT REPELLENT. Spraying boundary rows usually protects garden. Don't spray lettuce, edible greens.

6 oz. ZIP

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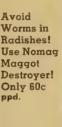
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BEST-OF-ALL RADISH OFFER:

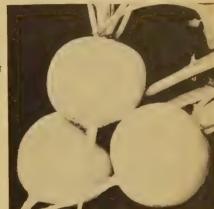
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1—All America Champion 1—All Season Firecracker 1—Ex. Early Cherry Belle

1—Faribo White Snoball (Catalog Value 80c) 65¢



Faribo White Snoball Best Quality of all!



561. FARIBO WHITE SNOBALL—(28 days). Highest quality in any radish. Medium to large, round to slightly flattened. Pure white skin and flesh. The sweetest, crispest, mildest radish we have ever eaten. Perfect eating when 1 inch in diameter. Pkt. 25c. oz. 60c. 1/4 lb. \$1.25 ppd.



White Icicle has crisp white spicy flesh.

560. WHITE ICICLE—(27 days). Flesh remains crisp and tender until roots attain large size. Roots: 6 inches long, slender tapering at the tip, very white. Flesh: clear white, brittle and of mild, inviting flavor. Pkt. 15c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.70. prepaid.

### Winter RADISHES

Sow in early July and allow to develop during the fall months. Dig before frost and store in a cool place.

565. CALIFORNIA WHITE MAMMOTH—(60 days). An excellent variety with crisp white flesh of mild flavor. Roots grow 8 inches long and 2 inches thick, cylindrical and thickest at lower end. Fall and winter radishes require from two to three months to mature and the seed should be sown in midsummer. Pkt. 15c. oz. 30c. 1/4 lb. 60c. lb. \$1.70, prepaid.

SPINACH-Important in Your Diet

Contains Vitamins A, C, G, Calcium and Iron

One ounce of seed will plant 100 foot row

Culture-Spinach succeeds best during the cool, moist weather of early spring, and should be sown just as soon as the ground can be worked, in rich, well-drained soil. Make a shallow furrow and cover the seed with 1/2 inch of soil, then firm. Make the rows 8 to 12 inches apart.

585. GIANT NOBEL—(45 days). An improved large, smooth, thick leaved spinach, slightly crumpled toward the center. Very crisp and tender, with a fine flavor. Large, vigorous, spreading plant, slow to form seed stalks, and extremely heavy yielding. Pkt. 15c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 65c, lb. \$1.25, prepaid.

580. HYBRID SPINACH USDA No. 7 earlier maturing, more vigorous growing Bloomsdale type spinach. Big, thick, heavily crinkled leaves are tender and of fine quality. Planted early, it reaches eating stage before all and well ahead of the heat of summer. Pkt. 25c



Culture same as for lettuce,

391. GREEN WAVE MUSTARD - All America Vegetable of 1958. Try it for vitamin-packed, pungent boiled greens or garnishing. Big, beautifully curled and frilled tender leaves of deepest green! Longest lasting, slowest bolting of all! Pkt. 25c prepaid.

392. TENDERGREEN MUSTARD SPINACH — Quick-growing, producing large, dark green leaves. Ready for table in 21 days. Produces 8 to 9 crops a year. Mildly pungent, combining flavors of mustard and spinach, Used in salads or boil like spinach. Pkt. 15c. oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 55c,

### RHUBARB SEED

571. VICTORIA—A vigorous grower with thick, red stalks of excellent quality. Sow in April in drills one foot apart, covering 34 inch. Thin out 12 inches apart in the row, when a few inches high. The following spring, transplant to deep, rich soil, 3 feet apart. Pkt. 15c. oz. 25c. 1/4 lb. 95c, prepaid.

For Rhubarb Roots, see page 29.



SALSIFY

Vegetable Oyster

One oz. for 100 ft. of row

of row

578. MAMMOTH
SANDWICH ISLAND—A delicious
vegetable, appetizing and nutritious,
with a mild oysterlike flavor. Roots 6
to 8 inches long,
from 1 to 1½ inches
thick, tapering,
smooth, dull white.
Plants 1½ ft. tall.
Like parsnips, the
flavor is improved
by frost. The roots
are ready for use
in October, when a
supply should be
taken up and stored
like carrots; the remainder may be
left in the ground
for use in spring.
Pkt. 10c. oz. 55c.
1/4 lb. \$1.65, prepaid.

586. BLOOMSDALE LONG STANDING—(39 days.) A very early, vigorous variety, desirable for home gardens, for shipping to distant markets and for canning. Plants erect in growth, hardy and attractive. Savoy type leaves, large, thick and dark glossy green. Quick growing, slow to run to seed. Pkt. 15c. oz. 25c. 1/4 lb. 65c, lb. \$1.25, prepaid.



Sown in Early Spring, New Zealand will Furnish "Greens" from Summer to Frost.

587. NEW ZEALAND—(60 days). This green, distinct from spinach proper, thrives in hot, dry weather. It makes a large plant, with small, thick, deep green leaves, and grows with a branching, spreading habit to a diameter and height of two feet or more. Both leaves and stalks are fleshy and brittle and of finest quality when cooked. In harvesting cut only the 4-inch tips of branches. Pkt. 15c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 75c, lb. \$1.65, prepaid.

Spinach
has thick, glossy
green leaves
attractively crumpled.
It's ready to eat
earlier!

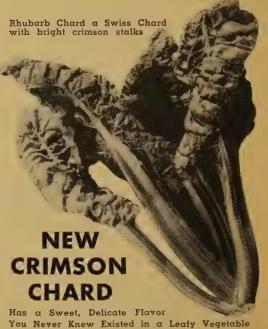
# SWISS CHARD

Spinach Beet

One ounce of seed will plant 200 ft. of drill Swiss Chard is a summer green that will stand the hottest weather and continue to produce until frost. Use only the young tender leaves six to twelve inches long. Old large leaves must be pulled off and disposed of at regular "intervals.

588. LUCULLUS-(55 days). Forms tall, sturdy plants, upstanding in habit of growth. Light green leaves, large, broad and heavily crumpled. Very tender when cooked. The thick white stalks are splendid for creaming like asparagus, and provide a most appetizing dish. Pkt. 15c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 70c, lb. \$2.25, prepaid.





589. RHUBARB CHARD—(60 days). The leafstalks, considered by many as the most delicious part of the Chard plant, are bright crimson, the rich color extending out through the veins into the dark green, heavily crumpled leaves. Grow and cook it as you would other Chards, and you will find it even more delicious. The plant is so decorative and striking in appearance that it

may be grown in the flower garden. Pkt. 15c. oz. 65c, 1/4 lb. \$1.60, prepaid.

590. LARGE WHITE BROAD-RIBBED CHARD-(60 days). Here's a real treat for those who like cooked greens! helished mainly for the broad, white, tender, succulent mid-ribs, in the smooth green leaves. The tender, thick-textured foliage has a particularly nice flavor when cooked like spinach. Pkt. 15c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 65c, lb. \$2.35,

# Vitamin-Rich SQUASH

KILL SQUASH BUGS & Stink Bugs with SABA-DUST 1 lb. sifter can 85c One ounce plants 50 hills—2 to 3 pounds per acre.

CULTURE—Sow in full sun, in warm, rich soil in hills, allowing 6 seeds to each hill. When plants have 3 to 4 leaves thin out leaving the 3 strongest plants. For protection against the squash borer, cover vine with soil at several joints. It will take root where covered and limit the damage done by the borer.

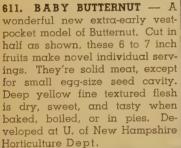


### 630. FARIBO HYBRID "R" SOUASH

A first generation hybrid squash developed in Minnesota. The smooth 4 to 5 pound fruits are about the size of Greengold and somewhat resemble it in shape, but color is a fiery orange. The smooth skin and hard rind make it an extremely long keeper. Flesh is fine grained, dry, good-flavored, and of bright orange color. Tremendous yields. Pkt. 35c, 3 pkts. 85c, ½ 1b. \$2.00, prepaid.

631. FARIBO HYBRID "G" SQUASH Similar to Hybrid "R" above except skin color is attractive glossy deep green with excellent market expend. Pkt. 25c. 3 pkts. 65c. 14 lb.

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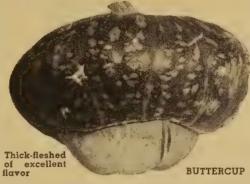
Matures in North Dakota. Pkt. 25c, oz. 65c, 1/4 lb. \$1.75, lb. \$5.50, prepaid.



# WINTER

NOTE — In harvesting Winter Squashes, handle them gently. If the skin is bruised, the Squash will rot. Store on a shelf or rack so they will not touch each other.

614. TABLE QUEEN—(65 days). Early maturing and fine for home or market garden use and for shipping. Fruit: 6 inches long, 4½ inches diameter; weight 1½ lbs., acom shaped, ribbed, smooth, thin shelled, dark green. Flesh: light yellow, bakes well, with inviting flavor. Pkt 15c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 75c, lb. \$2.25, prepaid.



621. BUTTERCUP — (100 days). A recent introduction, outstanding in quality. The seeds are centered in the blossom end and the rest of the interior is thick, orange flesh, fine-textured, dry and sweet. Turban-shaped, the fruits weigh about 3½ lbs. The rind is thin and tough, dark green, with narrow gray stripes. Pkt. 15c, oz. 45c, 1/4 lb. \$1.20, lb. \$3.10, prepaid.

612. BUTTERNUT—(100 days). Almost the entire fruit is clear, solid meat, as seed is contained in a small cavity at the blossom end. There is less waste and more meat. Bottle-shaped, 10 to 12 inches long. The skin is smooth and hard, and the flesh fine-textured, dry and sweet, of a deep yellow color. Makes delicious pies, and whether baked or boiled, the flavor is superb. Pkt. 15c, oz. 45c, ½ b. \$1.20, lb. \$3.10, prepaid.



### NEW HAMPSHIRE'S FAMOUS NEW SWEETNUT EDIBLE-SEEDED SQUASH

**620. SWEETNUT** (Edible-Seeded) When cut in half and baked without removing seeds, this unique squash has rich nut-like flavor with edible seeds which are nutritionally equal to peanuts. It's a compact growing bush squash of Table Queen type developed at New Hampshire's Experiment Station by crossing bush summer squashes with a naked seeded pumpkin from Germany. **Pkt. 25c, 3 pkts. 65c, 1/4 lb. \$2.00, ppd.** 

624. BABY BLUE HUBBARD — A very early maturing, high quality, but small sized winter squash, especially suited to Northern gardens. It's a good keeper with thick rich, orange-yellow flesh, and light blue skin. A recent development of Dr. A. F. Yaeger and the New Hampshire Experiment Station. Pkt. 15c, oz. 35c, 1/4 lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.25 prepaid.

**627. BLUE HUBBARD**—(110 days). Superior in edible quality, larger in size and a better yielder and keeper than other Hubbard strains. Fruits large, round, pointed at both ends; slightly ridged, with very hard, blue-gray rind; weight 12-14 lbs. Flesh orange-yellow, thick, of fine flavor. **Pkt. 15c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 75c, lb. \$2.25, prepaid.** 

628. CHICAGO WARTED HUBBARD—(110 days). Very prolific and a good keeper. The dark green fruits are heavily warted, pointed at one end and weigh about 14 pounds. The flesh is bright orange, fine grained, dry and sweet. Pkt. 15c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 75c, lb. \$2.25, prepaid.

**629. IMPROVED GREEN HUBBARD** — (105 days). A standard winter sort for home or market. Fruit: 12 inches long, 9 inches diameter; weight 12 pounds, pointed at both ends, slightly warted, dark bronze green in color; rind hard and tough. Flesh: very thick, orange-yellow, dry and sweet. **Pkt. 15c. oz. 30c.** 1/4 lb.



75c, lb. \$2.25, prepaid.

SUMMER SQUASH

Tender half-grown fruits of Summer fruits of Summer in batter and frying them like Egg Plant. If fruits are kept picked before the shell begins to harden, the plants will bear until frost.

601. COCOZELLE BUSH—(65 days). Delicious when 6 inches long. Slice with

licious when 6 inches long. Slice with skins on, boil 30 minutes and serve with butter. Continue to bear until frost if kept picked. Mature fruits 20 inches long, smooth, green, marbled with yellow. The flesh pale green, thick, firm, tender. Pkt. 15c, oz. 30c. 1/4 lb. 75c, lb. \$2.25, prepaid.

603. GIANT STRAIGHTNECK—(60 days). Plants bushy and prolific. Fruits golden yellow, heavily warted, 18 inches long; flesh thick and yellow of delicious flavor and fine quality. Pkt. 15c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 75c, lb. \$2.25, prepaid.



Rainbow

623. RAINBOW—Developed by Dr. A. E. Hutchins, U. of Minn. 15 inches long, fruits weigh 3 to 4 lbs. Banana-shaped, with a thin, smooth, medium-hard shell; keeps well. The flesh is orange-yellow, thick, fine-grained, dry and sweet — delicious baked, boiled or steamed — nothing finer for canning or pies. Gray-blue stripes on a salmon-pink background. Pkt. 15c, oz. 35c, 1/4 lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.25, prepaid.

602. HYBRID ZUCCHINI — Many acclaim this best of all summer squashes. This F-1 Hybrid strain is the first one ready to eat, it yields delectable fruits all season, its wonderful flavor is much better than yellow varieties. Dark green cylindrical fruits, especially delicious in the "baby stage" when 6 to 8 inches long. Pkt. 25c, oz. 65c, 1/4 lb. \$1.75, ppd.

Warted

# The Best in TOMATOES

CULTURE—Sow the seed in March in a sunny window, in boxes or flats, using a light sandy soil. The seed germinates in 10 to 12 days. When plants are 2 or 3 inches high, transplant them 2 inches apart each way, into other flats using the same kind of soil. In 3 weeks, transplant to small paper pots or 4-inch flower pots, to produce good stocky plants. Pot-grown plants will not suffer a set-back when planted out in the garden, as the roots need not be disturbed.

For a startling increase in yield use "Boost'em" on Tomato Plants. See Page 69.

### EXTRA EARLY TOMATOES

707. FARIBO HYBRID "EE"



Our earliest hybrid tomato ripens 5 days earlier and fruits run larger than our famous Hybrid E. Very good fruit size and quality for such an early maturing tomato. Semi-determinate vines

keep plants reasonably compact. Grow double E for your earliest slicers. Pkt. 50c, 3 pkts. \$1.25, 5 pkts.

\$1.95, ppd. 710. FARIBO HYBRID "E"



Unlike other early varieties, this Fl hybrid has large vigorous vines that bear profusely until frost. The fruits are medium in size and perfect in shape-very smooth and entirely free

from cracks and blemishes. Resistant to blight! Pkt. 50c, 3 pkts. \$1.25; 5 pkts. \$1.95, 1/8 oz. (about 800 seeds) \$5.00, oz. \$35.00, prepaid.

713. FARIBO SPRINGTIME — Here's the earliest ripening tomato we know of! Small, bright red fruits averaging 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches across, are produced in tremendous quantities on small, compact vines. Provides luscious little home grown tomatoes for your first fresh garden salad! Pkt. 25c. 1/2 oz. 60c, oz. \$1.00, prepaid.

715. EARLIANA — Fruit: flattened, medium size firm, bright red, quite smooth. Vine: open spreading, medium small. A first early sort, widely used for home gardens and truckers. Pkt. 20c, 1/2 oz. 50c, oz. 85c, prepaid.



711. WISCONSIN EARLY SCARLET - Semi-determinate plants are literally loaded with medium sized, extra-early, beautiful, bright scarlet fruits that are almost round. Very smooth, no cracks, ripens evenly and entirely to the stem. Pkt. 20c; 1/2 oz. 60c, oz. \$1.00, prepaid.



### EARLY TOMATOES

### 730. HYBRID GIANT KING



A king-size tomato that ripens midseason! It's a sure prize winner. Bears huge scarlet fruits with firm, meaty flesh and few seeds — on husky first generation hybrid plants that grow

vigorously even in adverse seasons. Pkt. 50c, 3 pkts. \$1.25, 5 pkts. \$1.95, 1/8 oz. (about 800 seeds) \$5.00 ppd.

**721. FARIBO HYBRID "S"** A medium-early Fl hybrid, maturing with "SE". Bears very heavy total poundage of moderately large 6 oz. fruits, uniformly deep scarlet, smooth, solid, thick walled, with few seeds. Big, vigorous, erect plants are ideal for staking. Heavy foliage covers fruit. Pkt. 50c, 3 pkts. \$1.25, 5 pkts. \$1.95. 1/8 oz. (about 800 seeds) \$5.00, oz. \$35.00, prepaid.

712. FIRESTEEL — Resistant to Fusarium wilt and disease. The fruits are bright scarlet, globular, of medium size, smooth, solid and free from cracks. The flavor is semi-acid. For dry seasons Firesteel has no equal, as it will set fruit when other types are dropping their blossoms. Pkt. 20c, 1/2 oz. 50c, oz. 85c, prepaid.

717. FARIBO JUMBO RED - An early maturing "king-size" tomato bearing 12 to 16 ounce fruits of the big Ponderosa type. Makes remarkably large fruits for such an early variety. Fruits are medium red, with thick side walls and well adapted for canning or salad use. Pkt. 25c, 1/2 oz. 60c, oz. \$1.00, ppd.

### 722. FARIBO HYBRID SE



A second early F1 hybrid, maturing later than Hybrid E, but ahead of Hybrid M. The  $6\frac{1}{2}$  ounce fruits grow larger than Hybrid E, are round,

smooth, free from cracks, brilliant red. Large, spreading plants bear abundantly and continuously, until frost. Pkt. 50c, 3 pkts. \$1.25, 5 pkts. \$1.95, 1/8 oz. (about 800 seeds) \$5.00, oz. \$35.00, prepaid.

727. MORDEN — Outstanding early tomato developed by Dr. Chas. Walkof at Canada's Morden Experimental Farm, from a cross of Marglobe and Bounty. Ripens with Bounty but fruits are larger, averaging over 10 ounces and colored bright red with many loculus containing few seeds. Pkt. 25c, ½ oz. 60c, ppd.

723. SIOUX — An early meaty red tomato, developed in Nebraska. It has outyielded all others in South Dakota trials. Pkt. 20c. ½ oz. 50c, oz. 85c, prepaid.

725. BONNY BEST — The standard second early sort. Large, bright scarlet fruits, very smooth, perfectly round, solid and meaty. Pkt. 20c, 1/2 oz. 50c, oz. 85c, prepaid.

737. WISCONSIN CHIEF — An early heavy yielding variety. Plant makes luxurious growth; fruits ripen uniformly to a scarlet red. These big smooth, handsome tomatoes are not inclined to crack or sunburn and have strong market appeal. Pkt. 20c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c, oz. 85c, ppd.



720. FARIBO HYBRID "M" - A big midseason FI hybrid from Minnesota featuring larger fruits, averaging 8 ounces or more. These big beautiful smooth globular tomatoes ripen evenly to a deep red color and are borne in typical hybrid abundance on robust plants with open foliage. Solid bright red flesh has few seeds. Pkt. 50c, 3 Pkts. \$1.25, 5 Pkts. \$1.95, 1/8 oz. (about 800 seeds) \$5.00, oz. \$35.00, prepaid.

733. MARGLOBE - A splendid main crop variety, resistant to wilt and immune to rust. Fruits are large, smooth, globular, meaty, deep red of fine quality and delicious flavor. Ripen uniformly and are free from cracks. Widely used by truckers, shippers and canners, it is also a favorite for the home garden. Pkt. 20c, 1/2 oz. 50c, oz. 85c, prepaid.

735. RUTGERS - Originated by the New Jersey Experiment Station, this tomato is disease resistant and a consistently heavy cropper. The fruit is uniform, globular, smooth, of medium size and very solid with heavy cross walls and small seed cavities. It ripens evenly from inside out, to a uniform scarlet. Pkt. 20c, 1/2 oz. 50c. oz. 85c, prepaid.

732. PRITCHARD — A scarlet, self-topping, disease-resistant variety. Very productive. Fruit: large, smooth, solid, with thick walls and cross sections. Pkt. 20c, 1/2 oz. 50c, oz.

SAVE YOUR
der to each pkt. of tomato
seed and shake to dust seeds
before planting. Protects tiny
seedlings from Damping-Off
fungus. 1 oz. Pkt. 60c, 8 oz.
can \$1.50 ppd.





This Tomato climbs a Trellis.

### 744. Trellis Tomato

2 bushels from a single vine.

Even the smallest garden can produce tomatoes in abundance by letting the vines climb a trellis. The quality of the fruit is excellent solid, meaty and of fine flavor. The size averages 3½ inches across and 3 inches deep. Pkt. 20c, ½ oz. 50c, oz. 85c, prepaid.

# Novel TOMATOES

### 741. Faribo Golden Heart

Extra Early - Golden Yellow - Heart Shaped!

Make extra-colorful toss salads with this beautiful golden tomato, combined with the new red Salad Trim lettuce, plus red tomatoes and green lettuce! Grow a few plants of these smooth, golden yellow, thick-walled fruits with typical tomato flavor, ripening 2 weeks before any other yellow variety! Pkt. 20c, ½ oz. 60c, oz. \$1.00, prepaid.

739. PONDEROSA - A Giant Strain for home use and for canning, as the fruits are so solid, meaty and free from acid. Fruit: very large, flat, purplish pink, solid with small seed cells; of inviting flavor. Pkt. 20c, 1/2 oz. 60c, oz. \$1.00, prepaid.

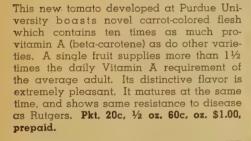
743. OXHEART — Heart-shaped Tomato often weighs 3 pounds. Different in shape from any other tomato. The fruits are pink, almost seedless, solid and meaty, of large size and mild sub-acid flavor. Popular for salads and slicing. Pkt. 20c, ½ oz. 60c, prepaid.

747. IOHNNY IUMP-UP

(Photo courtesy University of New Hampshire)

Ripens fruit so extremely early that seed can be sown directly in the garden in southern Minnesota, and still ripen its full crop! Developed by P. D. Hargrave at Canada's Brooks Alberta Experiment Station, it matures its entire crop in 100 days from seed. Oblate red fruits average six to days from seed. Oblive red fruits average six to the pound, are produced abundantly on compact plants 2 ft. compact plants 2 ft. across. Valuable home garden sort for juice garden sort for juice and salads — especially if one overlooked start-ing plants in time! Pkt. 25c, 3 pkts. 65c ppd.





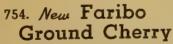
742. Caro-Red Orange Meated — Rich in Vitamin A



### 746. Hi-Sugar HYBRID PICKLE TOMATO

Pickle 'Em Whole Like Crab-Apples

Pickle 'Em Whole Like Crab Apples
Here's a novelty that's sure to please
you. Be among the first to serve it!
Unique golf ball size fruits are fiery
red, perfectly round, smooth, and firm,
with the highest sugar content we've
ever found in a tomato! In fact when,
eaten raw, they taste more like grapes
than like tomatoes. They make marvelous pickles or preserves, they're
distinctly different for garnishing or
salads, and make an unusual grape
flavored dessert when served fresh.
The big, robust hybrid plants grow
6 ft. across, can be easily staked up,
and yield over a bushel of ripe fruit,
surprisingly early in the summer. Pkt.
50c. 3 pkts. \$1.25 ppd.



Fruits from 21/4 to 23/4 inches in diameter, firm, with exceptionally thick walls. Sweet-flavored and fine for making pies and preserves. Plants are vigorous and very productive. The giant fruits are enclosed in a loose, papery husk and turn yellow when ripe. Mature in regular ground cherry season. Pkt. 25c.



Caro-Red has Carrot-Colored Flesh Rich in Vitamin A

### Gor SAUCE and PRESERVES

750. TINY TIM—These novel, miniature, 3/4-inch tomatoes are easy to grow in house or garden. They make fascinating colorful house plants as they grow only 12 to 15 inches high and are loaded with clusters of brilliant scarlet miniature tomatoes. Ideal for garnishing, salads, or for use in preserves. Pkt. 25c, 3 pkts. for 65c, prepaid. (Shown in color on page 1.)

751. RED TOP CATSUP TOMATO - An early plum-shaped tomato for tomato paste, catsup, purees or canning whole. Fruits in huge clusters are 2 to 4 inches long, 1½ inches thick, firm, bright red, almost solid meat, mild in flavor. Pkt. 20c. ½ oz. 65c, oz. \$1.10, prepaid.

753. GROUND CHERRY OR HUSK TOMATO-(86 days). This is not a true tomato. Used as a novelty and for preserves. Flavor is outstanding. Excellent in combination with oranges, lemons or ginger. Fruit: small, yellow, round, enclosed in a loose, papery husk. Of delicate flavor. Vine: loose, papery husk. Of delicate flavor. Vine: spreading and flat. Pkt. 20c. 1/2 oz. 50c, oz. 85c.

### **TURNIPS**

Oz. sows 400 ft. 2 lbs. per acre drilled, 3 lbs.

CULTURE - Turnips and Rutabagas do best in rich, light loam. Sow in April, in drills 12 to 15 inches apart, and thin to stand 8 inches apart in the row.



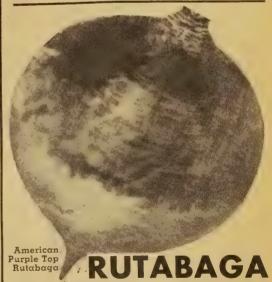
JUST RIGHT F I HYBRID TURNIP

1960 All America Winner from IAPAN

760. JUST RIGHT TURNIP - A new Hybrid Turnip from Japan wins 1960 All America Award. Boasts heavy, cut-leaf foliage for delicious turnip greens, plus perfect smooth, white, flattenedglobe shaped roots that develop earlier, more uniformly, more abundantly than any non-hybrid variety. Pkt. 35c, 1/2 oz. 75c, ppd.

764. EARLY PURPLE TOP STRAP LEAF TURNIP — (45 days). Medium early, productive. Roots: 3 to 5 inch diameter, flat, purple red at the tops, white below. Flesh: white, fine grained and tender. Tops medium, upright and compact. Pkt. 15c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 40c, lb. \$1.35, prepaid. — Not prepaid, 5 lbs. at \$1.10 per lb.

762. PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE TURNIP-(58 days). Roots: 4 to 6 inch diameter, large globe shaped, very smooth, upper part purple-red, white below. Flesh: white, sweet, crisp and tender. Pkt. 15c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 40c, lb. \$1.35, prepaid. — Not prepaid, 5 lbs. at \$1.10 per lb.



IMPROVED AMERICAN PURPLE TOP RUTABAGA — (88 days). Keeps well and of excellent quality. Roots: 5 to 7 inch diameter, large, round with small neck and slight tap root; yellow with purple top. Flesh: light yellow, firm, sweet and tender. Pkt. 15c, oz. 25c. 1/4 lb. 40c. lb. \$1.35. prepaid. — Not prepaid, 5 lbs. at \$1.10 per lb.

767. LAURENTIAN NECKLESS-(90 days). purple top globe having rich yellow flesh, fine-grained, tender and sweet. One of the deepest globes, very smooth and free from excess roots. A splendid keeper. Pkt. 15c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 40c. lb. \$1.35, prepaid.—Not prepaid, 5 lbs. at \$1.10 per lb.

WATERMELONS WILT-RESISTANT STRAINS

2 Remarkable New

HYBRID WATERMELONS

They're Earliest of All!

851. Faribo Hybrid "5-11"

Earliest of all watermelons and a true "longtype" HYBRID with crisp, rich-red flesh of high

sugar content, thin rind, brown seeds, and smooth solid dark green skin. Truly outstanding in earliness, quality and yield. Fruits of

Tom Watson shape, weigh 7 to 9 pounds, are ideal for home garden or local roadside mar-

**IMPROVED** 

our ounces will plant 100 hills; sow 3 to 4 pounds per acre.

CULTURE—The best soil for growing watermelons is light, rich, and sandy. When the ground is thoroughly warm, and all danger of frost is past, drop 8 to 10 seeds in hills 8 to 10 feet apart, covering the seed about an inch. When the plants begin to run to vines, thin out all but the three strongest plants in each hill. 2 FAVORITE GIANTS



Be First in your Neighborhood to Enjoy Luscious Home Grown Watermelons!

### 857. Faribo Hybrid "57"

A truly remarkable new HYBRID watermelon that'll ripen quickly even in the most northern sections of the U.S. Matures in less than 60 days in Southern Minnesota. Besides it's a high quality melon, bearing an abundance of attractive 8 to 10 pound fruits with crisp, sweet flesh of deep rich-red color. It's perfect for the home gardener, and the half inch rind permits handling for the profitable early market. Seeds brown. Color photo page 3. Pkt. 50c, 3 pkts. \$1.35, oz. \$3.50, prepaid.

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### **Home Garden** Melon Offer 75c

One Packet each of: MUSKMELONS

Minn. Midget (Early) Sugar Rock (Med.)

WATERMELONS

New Hamp. Midget Northern Sweet

# (85 days.) A splendid medium early variety, for home garden and local markets. It will not stand long distance ship-

876. Kleckley's Sweet

ping. A melon of outstanding quality and unusual sweetness. Fruit: large, weight 30 to 40 lbs., cylindrical dark bluish green, with thin, tender rind. Flesh is bright red, tender and extremely sweet. Seeds white. Pkt. 15c, oz. 30c, ½ lb. 80c, ½ lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.25, prepaid.

### 878. Klondyke Sugar

(90 days). For edible qualities and attractive appearance Klondyke is surpassed by no other melon. Solid dark green in color, with slight ribs running lengthwise. The rind is thick enough to stand shipping. Weight 25 pounds. The flesh is scarlet to the rind. A truly delicious melon, high in sugar content. Pkt. 15c, oz. 35c, 1/4 lb. \$1.00, ½ lb. \$1.50, lb. \$2.50, prepaid.

### 877. Early Jumbo

Combines early ripening with good size! An elongated deep green melon, lightly striped, averaging 20 to 25 pounds. Has moderately thick rind with glistening straw-

berry - colored flesh that tests very high in sugar content. Seeds are white. Pkt. 25c. oz. 65c, 1/4 lb. \$1.75, prepaid.



### Early Northern Sweet

(75 days). This amazing melon ripens in 9 to 10 weeks from planting. Of an attractive green color, striped with lighter green. Flesh is dark red and tender, with a rich sugary flavor. Weighs 12 pounds. Splendid for early market or home garden. It is important that melons be picked as soon as they ripen, otherwise flesh becomes slightly stringy. Pkt. 15c. oz. 30c. 1/4 lb. 80c, 1/2 lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.25, ppd.

### 872. Early Kansas

(80 days.) The skin is dark green with alternate stripes of a lighter shade. The rind is of medium thickness—well suited for carrying reasonable distances — and the flesh is a rich red color, of delightful flavor. Average size 15 by 13 inches; weight 40 lbs. Seeds brown. Pkt. 15c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 80c, 1/2 lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.25, prepaid.

### 875. Dixie Queen

(85 days). An early melon of excellent quality. It is semi-round, with a thin, tough rind and stands shipping. The color is light green alternately striped with dark green. Weight about 32 pounds. The flesh is bright red, crisp and sweet, seeds white. Pkt. 15c, oz. 35c, 1/4 lb. \$1.00, 1/2 lb. \$1.50, lb. \$2.50, prepaid.

for Sweet Pickles, 890. Citron Preserves, Candied Fruit For making preserves. Flesh: clear, white and solid. Fruit: round and smooth, quite small. Pkt. 15c, oz. 35c, 1/4 lb. 85c.

### New Melon Tells When It's Ripe! GOLDEN MIDGET

(color picture back cover)

Here's the famous melon with a built-in ripeness indicator! No more guessing when to pick. New Golden Midget boasts the very early 65 day maturity of its renowned parent, New Hampshire Midget. But this latest triumph of New Hampshire's Experiment Station turns a golden color when ripe! Pkt. 25c.

### 879. New Hampshire Midget

All America Winner! Color Photo inside front cover Ideal for the small garden. It matures extremely early. Most early melons lack quality, but New Hampshire excels. Developed at New Hampshire Experiment Station. Fruits 7 to 8 inches long, are just right for individual serving. Our strain has fewer seeds, very thin rind, rich red flesh that is crisp and juicy with extra-high sugar content. Easy to grow, requires little space. Seeds are black. **Pkt. 25c, oz.** 65c, 1/4 lb. \$1.75, prepaid.

### 880. Winter Melon

Long-keeping, Lusciously sweet

(78 days.) Here's a sweet, luscious watermelon for your Thanksgiving dinner. Like Honey Dew in size and keeping qualities. This melon will keep 2 months after picking if properly stored. Fruit: small, weight 10 lbs., round, pale yellow when ripening. Flesh: bright red, crystaline, very sweet. Pkt. 15c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 80c, 1/2 lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.25, prepaid.







# Certified SEED POTATOES

Dip Your Seed Potatoes in SEMESAN BEL solution to control diseases and insure quality. 3 oz. pkg. (treats 12 bu.) \$1.45; I lb. can (treats 75 bu.) \$3.30 ppd.

### WASECA (extra-early)

Here's Minnesota's new extra early red potato which has proved such a great improvement over Warba! Waseca tubers are oblong to round, medium thick, with shallow eyes and a thick red skin. The crop runs mostly U.S. No. 1 Standard. Plants are medium to small in size, but produce yields equal or above other early varieties. It has very wide adaptation, proving a good producer in the Red River Valley, and on peat land, as well as the late region and in early market areas. It is rated highest of all early varieties in general desirability standards. Excellent for baking, boiling or frying. See Blue Figure Price List.

### SEOUOIA (late)

Both Bug and Blight Resistant!

Resistant to Late Blight, Mild Mosaic and Immune from Wart. Also Resistant to Leaf Hopper and Flea-Beetle. Requires Less Fertilizer to produce High Yields.

produce High Yields.

Developed from a cross of Green Mountain and Katahdin by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Produces large roundish, flattened smooth white tubers with shallow eyes and white flesh, of finest cooking quality. For best results Sequoia should be more closely spaced in planting than other varieties. See Blue Figure Price List.

### OSAGE (medium-early)

If you like those famous long type Idaho bakers, try Osage! Very popular with market growers due to its exceptional market appeal and strong resistance to scab. It's a Colorado and Iowa selection producing very smooth, white, oblong tubers averaging high in No. 1's. As a baker, it's the type that appeals to housewife and high grade restaurant trade. When planting, space more closely than others to avoid hollow-heart. Valuable in scab-infested soils. See Blue Figure List.

### RED LA SODA (midseason)

Here's a red colored selection from La Soda. Tubers have a very high red color, are smooth, round to oblong, with moderately shallow eyes. It's a good cooker and has good market appeal. See Blue Figure Price List.

### RUSSET SEBAGO (late)

A late maturing, round russet potato with shallow eyes, developed at University of Wisconsin. Its tough, rough skin resists scab. It's dry and mealy, excellent for baking, and often substituted for Idaho Russet on the market. It's resistant to tuber rot caused by late blight, and has proved a high yielder in Wisconsin. See Blue Figure List.

### NEW NORLAND (Extra Early)

Improved Tolerance to Scab!

A brand new extra early red skinned potato that matures as early as Waseca but has greater tolerance to troublesome scab. Tubers are smooth, with shallow eyes and attractive red skin. Good yields are reported, with a high percentage of U.S. No. l grade tubers. A good chipping red skinned potato that's recommended for trial in the home garden. See Blue Figure List.

# ANTIGO ( Medium )

Boasts Strong Resistance to Scab!

A new smooth, round white potato from Wisconsin's Experiment Station. It's a good yielder in Minnesota varietal tests, and produces a high percentage of No. 1 tubers. It's high in dry matter, making it desirable for boiling, baking and for chips. It's widely adapted, though quality is impaired on light sandy soil where temperatures are often high. See Blue Figure Price List.



### DORMATONE PREVENTS

Potato Sprouting in Storage!

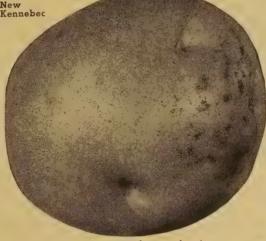
Store your home-grown potatoes for 12 months without sprouting or shrinking! Improves quality, appearance. Absolutely harmless—just dust on tubers. Sifter can (treats 8 bu.) \$1.10 ppd.



### KENNEBEC (segson

Most Blight-Resistant of All!

Here's the potato that has the greatest resistance of all, to troublesome Late Blight! Kennebec is midseason in maturity and has been widely tested throughout the U.S. The attractive tubers are white, smooth-skinned, with shallow eyes, and have excellent cooking quality and are good keepers. Also resistant to Mosaic. It should be planted closer than other varieties, otherwise tubers tend to grow abnormally large. See back cover. See Blue Figure Price List.



### RED PONTIAC (mid-season)

Here's the big, attractive red potato that's fast becoming such a popular favorite with the housewife because of its beautiful bright red skin (which does not skuff easily), its shallow eyes and crisp white flesh that cooks up mellow.

It produces heavily on muck as well as upland soils. Its tremendous yields, long keeping quality, and persistent market demand make it very popular with commercial growers. See Blue Figure Price List.

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No Potato Eyes shipped to Washington State







### Jerusalem Artichoke or Girasol The Diabetic's Potato — & a Feed Crop

Valuable food for diabetics, preparing tubers just like potatoes, either baked, boiled, fried, in soups, or raw in salads! They con-



tain carbohydrates in the form of inulin which can be safely assimilated by those not permitted to ea starchy foods. Tubers also relished by cattle chickens, hogs. Diabetics can order this seed stock for immediate use. Recipe folder free. Price: 5 lbs. \$2.35, postpaid. 100 lbs. \$13.50 f.o.b. Fairbault.

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Certified SEED POTATO EYES

Guaranteed to reach you in Good Condition.

Now you cam grow the newest varieties without paying shipping charges on heavy, perishable tubers if you're some distance from Faribault. Order now—get your seed postpaid by mail at planting time. Live delivery guaranteed. Scientifically cut from certified stock, specially treated and packed to keep fresh until suitable planting weather. 100 eyes plant 100 hills. (For bumper yields, use Boost 'Em, page 67.)

### Postpaid Prices on Seed POTATO EYES:

Kennebec Antigo Red La Soda

**Russet Sebago** 

100 for \$1.95 200 for \$3.75 500 for \$8.50 Norland

**Red Pontiac** Irish Cobbler

100 for \$1.60 200 for \$2.90 500 for \$6.50

Indicate on your order for potato eyes, which of these shipping times you prefer:

early MARCH mid MARCH late MARCH early APRIL mid APRIL late APRIL

early MAY mid MAY late MAY



Husky, Stocky Faribo Hybrid Tomato Plants — Live Delivery Guaranteed!

# DEVELOPED

# HYBRID VEGETABLE PLANTS

### How to Order HYBRID Tomato, Pepper & Eggplants

IMPORTANT! Specify which of

these shipping times you want:

early May early June
mid Apr. mid May mid June late May late Apr. We supply healthy, husky greenhouse plants, packed to survive up to 800 miles in the mail. We feature only Hybrid plants, which warrant mailing expense. For common varieties, see your local greenhouse.

### HYBRID YELLOW SWEET SPANISH PLANTS

Here's a real treat for the home gardener! Now you can grow your own big, mild, sweet, crisp slicing onions—QUICKER THAN EVER BEFORE! Just set out these husky Faribo HYBRID Sweet Spanish plants and see how fast they become slicing size. Our new Sweet Spanish plants
they become slicing size. Our new
yellow Spanish Hybrid is much earlier
yellow Spanish Hybrid is much earlier
yellow Spanish Hybrid is much earlier yellow Spanish Hybrid is much earlier than any open pollinated strain. It yields higher, makes better quality, more uniform bulbs, which keep longer than other Spanish strains. If you like big crisp sweet mild slicers, be sure to try this one! We grow plants in Texas in winter so they're ready for Northern planting.

BUNCH BUNCHES BUNCHES

SHIPPED POSTPAID at planting time. Case of 6000 Expressed for \$9.95 (shipping chgs. collect. from Texas)



### HYBRID WHITE BERMUDA ONION PLANTS

A brand new extra-early HYBRID of those big flat-type snow white onions, with all the wonderful hybrid advantages described above. 1 Bunch \$1.25, 2 Bunches \$1.95, 10 Bunches \$4.95, postpaid.

### **Hybrid Tomato Plants**

F1 hybrids. Described on Page 24. HYBRID GIANT KING: Mid-

season. Huge, firm scarlet fruits on husky hybrid plants that grow vigorously even in adverse seasons.

HYBRID 'EE': Earliest hybrid tomato ripens 5 days earlier, with larger fruits than 'E'.

HYBRID 'E': Ripens early. Bears great quantities medium size fruits till frost.

HYBRID 'SE': Second early. Slightly larger than 'E'. Tremendous yielder.

HYBRID 'S'. Medium early. Moderate size fruits, ideal for staking.

HYBRID 'M': Midseason. Big, brilliant smooth, solid 8 oz. fruits with few seeds.

### POSTPAID PRICES FARIBO HYBRID TOMATO PLANTS:

Your Choice: 'E' 'SE' OR HYBRID GIANT KING 50 Plants \$5.00 All 100 Plants \$9.00 Postpaid 8 Plants \$1.00 18 Plants \$2.00

### FARIBO **Hybrid Pepper Plants**

Now gardeners in the Northern part of U.S. can ripen big, colorful, glossy ripe peppers in great quantities from a half dozen of these Hybrid plants. It's earliest of all, with full sized, smooth, thick fleshed fruits, perfect for salads, stuffing and baking. 6 Plants \$1.00; 15 Plants \$2.00, postpaid.

### FARIBO **Hybrid Eggplant Plants**

Now for the first time Northern U.S. gardeners can grow and mature this distinctive, delicious vegetable from these husky Hybrid plants. Much earlier than any previous variety, and quality of fruit is unequalled. Be sure to try it! 6 Plants \$1.00; 15 Plants \$2.00, postpaid.

### FARIBO FI **Hybrid Asparagus Roots**

Get twice the usual yield of giant, butter-tender stalks! Hybrid vigor produces bigger, heavier, extremely tender stalks over a longer cutting season. Remarkable quality, eaten fresh or frozen. Rust-resistant. Enjoy the finestever, garden-fresh, home grown asparagus—start your bed this spring — it'll last for years! Top size, 1 yr. Hybrid roots (Instructions included): 25 for \$2.00, 50 for \$3.65, 100 for \$6.85 postpaid.





# Standard VEGETABLE PLANTS and ROOTS



**Market Growers:** 

Marker Growers:
Case of 6.000 Common Plants (not Hybrid), in your choice of Sweet Spanish or Bermudas in yellow or white, shipped Express NOT prepaid from Texas growing point, for \$8.45 shipping chas. collect.

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### ONION PLANTS

These Texas started onion plants produce those large, mild, sweet onions that are so difficult to grow from seed here in the North. Or they can be pulled early for the first young green onions on your table. If allowed to develop, they reach creaming or even slicing size, very quickly. Seed is planted for us in Texas during the fall and the plants grow during the winter so they are hardy and can be lifted and shipped early in spring, for Northern planting as soon as ground can be worked. Orders accepted according to crop, and are shipped at proper planting time.

### SWEET SPANISH (VALENCIA)

A mild, sweet, giant onion, of the true Spanish type. Bulbs globular with small neck, firm and delicious at all stages of growth. They will produce the finest quality early onions for market.

### BERMUDA ONION PLANTS

Yellow Bermuda or White Bermuda. Bermudas form flat type bulbs.

### YOUR CHOICE, POSTPAID:

Sweet Spanish (globe type), White or Yellow; Bermudas (flat type), White or Yellow:

Bundles 150 to 200

Bundles 350 to 500

**Bundles** 750 to 1000 plants \$4.69

plants \$1.45

\$2.85 Number of plants per bundle varies with size of plants at shipping time.



### ONION SETS

Lb. plants 50 ft. row. YELLOW SETS:

Lb. 55c, 2 lbs. 85c. 4 lbs. \$1.50, prepaid. —Not prepaid. bu. (32 lbs.), (write for

price). WHITE SETS: Lb. 60c, 2

lbs. \$1.00, 4 lbs. \$1.70 prepaid. — Not prepaid: bu. (32 lbs.), (write for price).

### GARLIC SETS

For flavoring stews, soups, meats, dressings. Bulb separates into divisions which are planted 4 to 6 inches apart, in rows 12 to 18 inches apart, and 2 inches deep.

1/2 lb. 50c, 1 lb. 95c, 5 lbs. \$4.25 all prepaid.



### CABBAGE PLANTS

Grown, Frost-hardened, Certified.

### **CHOOSE these VARIETIES:**

EARLY MORDEN DWARF EARLY ROUND or EARLY FLAT DUTCH

EARLY GOLDEN ACRE EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD

EARLY COPENHAGEN MARKET

EARLY MARION MARKET (yellows resist)
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*Combine with Onion Plant order to make							
minimum \$1 Texas Plant order.							

### CABBAGE & ONION PLANT COLLECTIONS

250 | 100 White Spanish Onion 100 Yellow Spanish Onion 100 Yellow Spanish Onion 50 Early Jersey Cabbage | Offer | All for \$1.79 ppd. | Offer | 300 Yellow Spanish Onion 200 Crystal Wax Onion 50 Early Jersey Cabbage 50 Copenhagen Cabbage

All for \$3.49 ppd.

### **Asparagus Roots**

Set Roots 15 inches apart Plant 15 Roots for each member of the family.

Ask for free circular, "How to Grow Asparagus." MARY WASHINGTON—Rust Resistant, Produces dark green, thick stalks of beautiful appearance. Tips are firm and tight, and remain extremely tender during the entire two months cutting season. Will produce for many years. Robust 1 yr. roots: 25 for \$1.25, 50 for \$1.95, 100 for \$3.45, postpaid. Not prepaid: 500 for \$9.75.



### **ASPARAGUS** FEEDER & WEEDER

Aero Cyanamid kills weeds in Aero Cyanamid kills weeds in asparagus rows without cultivation during cutting season. Here's the three-purpose asparagus fertilizer! It feeds the crop, kills the weeds, and supplies the much needed calcium — all in one easy application! Price: 4 lb. bag. \$1.35 postpaid. 25 lbs. \$2.95, 50 lbs. \$5.65, 100 lbs. \$8.75.

By Exp. Not ppd.:



CHIPMAN'S CANADA RED - Very sweet, tender, of fine flavor, bright red, the color ex-tending to the mid-rib of the leaf. Does not lose its bright color in cooking, and both pie and sauce are an appetizing cherry-red. Requires less sugar. Strong roots, 85c each, 3 for \$2.25, 6 for \$4.25, prepaid.



grow big, pungent roots that grate up fine, tender, white as snow!

12 sets for \$1.25, 25 for \$1.95, 100 for \$6.50, prepaid.

### Jerusalem Artichoke

The Diabetic's Potato — & a Feed Crop

Also called American Artichoke or Girasol. Pg. 27.

### **Sweet Potato Plants**

We offer earliest varieties for Upper Midwest. Prefer fertile, sandy soil. We ship at planting time, after all frost

RED GOLD — A new variety with purple-red skin and deep golden-yellow flesh of sweet flavor. 25 Plants for \$1.19. 50 for \$1.79, 100 for \$2.98, postpaid.

NEW BUNCH PORTO RICA - Easier to grow—does not trail on ground—grows semi-upright. Matures 3 weeks earlier

than regular vine type Porto Rican.
Requires less space, less work. Skin, orange-yellow. Meat, deep-orange, high sugar. 25 Plants for \$1.25, 50 for \$2.25, 100 for \$3.25 ppd.



### **Grow Mushrooms**

Pick plump, tender, delicious mushrooms in 2 or 3 weeks from these preplanted trays. Simply spread an inch of garden soil over trays, put them in a cool place (55 to 65 degrees), water them and watch 'em grow! They'll produce up to 8 quarts each over 3 or 4 months in your own basement. Pre-spawned trays produce ONLY edible mushrooms, available early Oct. to May, shipped to you direct from our Ohio grower by Express not prepaid. Minimum order: 3 trays (45 lbs.) for \$4.75 by Exp. not prepaid. 6 Trays (90 lbs.) for \$8.25 by Express f.ob. Ohio. Exp. chgs. approximate \$3.75 on 3 trays to Mpls., ABOUT \$6.00 on



# A SELECTION of the NEW

Everbearing Varieties

Everbearers are best for home gardens because they'll not only provide you with fresh fruit in June (as Junebearers do), but also in mid-summer and again abundantly from Sept. 'til frost! And they'll bear the same

season they're planted!

Everbearers make few runners and can be planted closely. Make rows 3 feet apart, set plants 18 inches apart in the row.



### **NEW SUPER-HARDY EVERBEARER** from Minnesota's ICE BOX COUNTRY!

(pictured back cover)

Developed at Bemidji, Minn. where it survives 40 to 50 below zero without winter cover! Beautiful, big, firm berries, bright scarlet red to the core. Big cropper, high sugar — low acid flavor — it's really good! 12 plants \$1.95, 25 for \$3.75, 50 for \$6.50, 100 for \$10.95, ppd.



Remarkable new everbearer yields a pint per plant 1st season, then DOUBLES this the 2nd season!

Spray Red Rich with Kelthane, see below. The worldfamous everbearer developed by crossing Wayzata Everbearer with Fairfax Junebearer. Combines Wayzata's honey sweetness with Fairfax's enormous yields. The big glossy, dark Red Rich berries are solid red thru the core. Freeze them whole—they won't "mush" when thawed. Control Cyclamen Mite with Kelthane, page 70. 12 plants \$2.95./25 for \$5.00, 50 for \$8.50, 100 for \$15.00, 250 for \$32,50, 500 for \$62.50, ppd.

### New OGALLALA

Developed by USDA in Wyoming and University of Nebraska, crossing wild Rocky Mt. strawberries with garden varieties to combine the rare aromatic flavor of wild strawberries, with the large size, heavy fruiting and everbearing habit of the best domestic varieties. Superb for freezing or preserves. Unmatched flavor. 25 plants \$2.10, 50 for \$3.35, 100 for \$5.45, 250 for \$10.85, 500 for \$19.95, ppd.

### SUPERFECTION

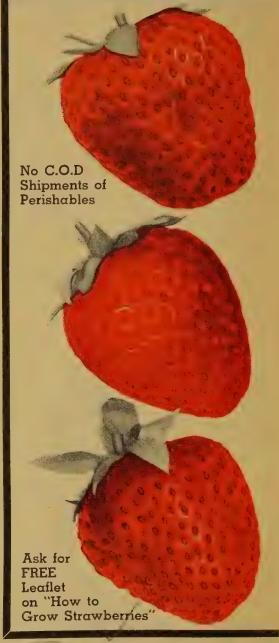
Deep red all the way through and sweet as sugar, the berries are very large and almost round in shape, they are firm enough to stand distant shipping. A good plant maker and vigorous grower. Superfection begins producing fruit 90 days after planting first season and continues until hard freezing.

Price: 25 plants for \$2.10, 50 for \$3.35, 100 for \$5.45, 250 for \$10.85, 500 for 19.95, 1000 for \$37.50, ppd.



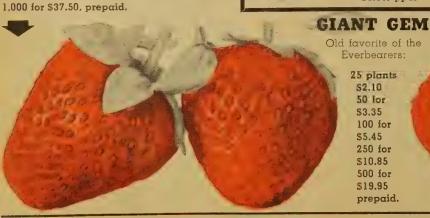
### **Your Plants Start** QUICK & SURE with SUPER BOOST-EM

When planting, just water in your plants with Boost-em solution and see how quick they respond! Avoids transplanting shock, wilting, set-backs, losses. 1½-lb. can (makes 20 gals.) \$1.35, ppd.



The champion yielder of the everbearers. Tests showed 7000 quarts from one acre the very first year. Often starts bearing a few weeks after planting and keeps on 'til fall. Brilliant is a big, glistening bright red berry that makes enormous yields long after strawberries are off the market. A good freezer. (Patent No. 1183.)

12 plants for \$1.75, 25 for \$3.25, 50 for \$5.75, 100 for \$9.95, 250 for \$23.50, 500 for \$42.85, 1000 for \$75.00,



STREAMLINER

Starts bearing 60 days after setting out

and continues until heavy frosts. Big,

luscious berries, fine flavor, good color perfect for serving fresh, or quick freezing.

Price: 25 plants for \$2.10, 50 for \$3.35, 100

for \$5.45, 250 for \$10.85, 500 for \$19.95,

Old favorite of the Everbearers:

> 25 plants \$2.10 50 lor \$3.35 100 for \$5.45 250 for \$10.85 500 for \$19.95 prepaid.



# BEST STRAWBERRY VARIETIES

We ship dormant plants from refrigerated storage. Though not as fresh appearing as newly dug plants, they retain more vigor, survive shipment better, respond to transplanting quicker, and with less loss. They're grown in the Lake Michigan Fruit Growing area and Certified Disease-Free by the State Inspectors.

# June Bearing Varieties

No C.O.D. Shipments of Perishables!

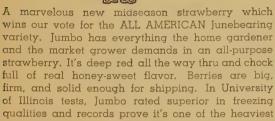
Set plants in rows  $3\frac{1}{2}$  feet apart. Space 2 feet apart in the row.



### it's New! ROBINSON

Ripens soon after Premier and continues bearing right through the late strawberry season, every berry a large one, right up to the last picking. Big round, blun't-pointed berries borne on large fruit stems, well protected with heavy foliage. Solid red all the way through, with a tangy rich sweet flavor found in no other strawberry. A wonderful shipping and canning berry. Price: 25 plants for \$1.40, 50 for \$2.10, 100 for

\$3.10, 250 for \$6.25, 500 for \$11.25, 1,000 for \$20.85, prepaid. DUNLAP



yielding strawberries known. Price: 25 plants for \$2.35, 50 for \$3.75, 100 for \$5.95, 250 for \$12.95, 500 for \$22.50, 1,000 for \$42.00, ppd.

# New EARLIDAWN

A wonderful new Junebearer that ripens earliest of all and it's a tremendous cropper that seems almost frost-proof! Recently developed by the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, new Earlidawn bears big berries of marvelous flavor and color, throughout its long season. It's a great money-maker with the first homegrown berries on the market. 25 plants for \$1.50, 50 for \$2.50, 100 for \$4.00, 250 for \$8.00, 500 for \$12.00, postpaid.

### **WISCONSIN 214**

Very large high quality fruits on vigorous, highly productive plants. Originated in the colder section of the U.S. to withstand severe and varied climatic conditions. Fruits are very large, blunt conic shape and a nice clear red both inside and out. Matures early midseason. Highest quality for freezing, eating fresh and preserving.

Price: 25 plants for \$1.60, 50 for \$2.35, 100 for \$3.75, 250 for \$7.95, 500 for \$13.35, prepaid.

# SENATOR DUNLAP

Always Dependable, Succeeds Everywhere

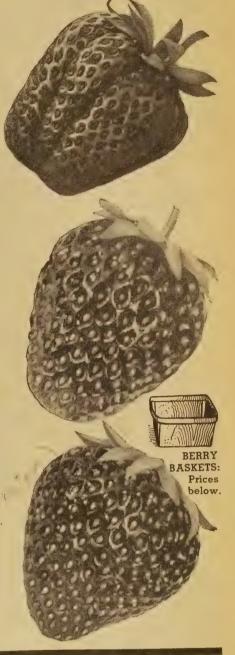
Beautiful, glossy, dark red color all through, the flavor is delicious, mild and sweet. Wonderful for canning and preserves. The berries are medium to large in size, and medium firm — excellent for home use and local markets. Plants are healthy, fast growers and make runners freely. A dependable midseason sort.

Price: 25 plants for \$1.40, 50 for \$2.10, 100 for \$3.10, 250 for \$6.25, 500 for \$11.25, 1,000 for \$20.85, prepaid.

Early Market Berry with Long Fruiting Season

Premier bears heavily before other varieties begin and brings top prices when berries are in good demand. Of finest quality, color and flavor. Premier is supreme for eating fresh, canning, preserving, distant and local markets. Plants are long-rooted, drought-resisting and immensely productive, with tall healthy foliage covering blossoms and berries.

Price: 25 plants for \$1.50, 50 for \$2.15, 100 for \$3.25, 250 for \$6.65, 500 for \$12.10, 1,000 for \$22.50, prepaid.



# **SMALL** LOT?

### PYRAMID GARDEN!

Complete sprinkler attachment now included with each pyramid!

NOT AN EXTRA -



(Above) Shows new three terrace Pyramid with sprinkler, planted with Red Rich everbearing



The new Pyramid garden includes a complete sprinkler (sprinkler head, tubing and hose connection). Connects direct to your garden hose. The aluminum bands are now attractively corrugated and form three planting terraces. Bottom terrace is six feet in diameter. We recommend planting 50 Red Rich everbearing strawberry plants for repeated picking until fall frost. Also makes a fine vegetable garden or an attractive place for your favorite annual flowers. Complete with instructions for assembly and growing, only \$9.50, postpaid.

Metal Rim American
BERRY BASKETS

Not ppd: 250 500 1000
Quarts ...\$5.95 \$11.25 \$21.75
Pints ...\$5.35 10.50 19.95 (500 qts. 43 lbs., pts. 30 lbs.)

Quarts . \$5.95 \$11.25 \$21.75 Pints . . . 5.35 10.50 19.95 (500 qts. 43 lbs.. pts. 30 lbs.) 100 Qts. \$3.85 ppd. 300 miles 100 Pts. \$3.85 ppd. 300 miles

### **PYRAMID ACCESSORIES**







Protects planting Protects
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Faribault, Minnesota

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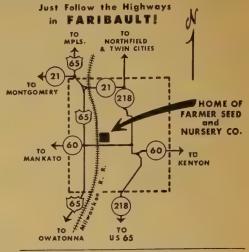
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responsible for growth, or any amount greater than purchase price.
But if any dormant nursery item fails to grow, we will share the loss

2. We guarantee to deliver Nursery Stock in prime planting condition. If not satisfactory on arrival, "heel-in" stock per instructions enclosed, and notify us AT ONCE, sending ALL YOUR ORDER PAPERS.

3. Our Nursery Stock is well rooted, vigorous, properly packed for good potential growth. But we can't control weather or soil conditions, planting methods, or other factors affecting growth. So we cannot be

responsible for growth, or any amount greater than purchase price. But if any dormant nursery item fails to grow, we will share the loss with you, and replace such item at half price the following season, PROVIDED you report your loss (and include your order papers) by October 1 of the year purchased.

**4.** Evergreens are only guaranteed for live delivery. Report promptly any plants dead on arrival. If planted AS DIRECTED, any evergreen that dies before June 30 will be replaced at half price next season PROVIDED you report loss by July 1 of the year purchased.



# GOOSEBERRIES & CURRANTS

### WELCOME GOOSEBERRY

(6842) U. of Minnesota's famous new gooseberry that's practically thornless and ripens surprisingly early! The bigger-than-average berries turn red in late June and picking continues until late July. This new big cropper makes red jam and appetizing pies. 2-yr. plants, \$1.35 each, 5 for \$6.25, ppd.

### PIXWELL GOOSEBERRY

(6840) Developed by Dr. Yeager in North Dakota. Has very few, soft thorns. Berries hang 2 inches below branches and are much easier to pick than other kinds. Extremely hardy even in Canada. The large bushes bear heavy loads of good quality fruit. 2 yr. plants \$1.00 each, 5 for \$4.50, postpaid.

### RED LAKE CURRANT

(6830) A Minnesota introduction producing heavy crops of big, red berries in long clusters. The bushes are strong, vigorous growers. Makes beautiful sparkling bright red jelly. 2 yr. plants: 65c each, 5 for \$2.50, postpaid.





Scout Apricot ripens early and is hardy for the North, but suggest you also plant Morden No. 804 to provide pollination.

### SCOUT APRICOT

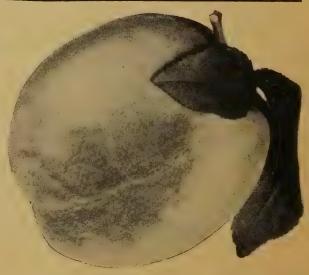
(6482) A super hardy, drought-resistant Apricot developed in Canadal It starts to bear golden yellow free-stone fruit with reddish blush, while still a very young tree. Delicious dessert quality. Makes elegant preserves or canned fruit. 3 to 4 ft. trees. \$1.65 each ppd.

### MORDEN No. 604 APRICOT

(6483) An effective pollinator for Scout Apricot above. Morden 604 is also a Canadian variety that's hardy for severe climates. 3 to 4 ft. trees. \$1.65 each prepaid.

### POLLY PEACH

(6413) Rated the finest flavored of all peaches! Developed by Iowa's Experiment Station, it has survived 20 below zero winters. Big, handsomely blushed, freestone fruits with firm, white, juicy flesh of rich, luscious flavor, are produced in surprising quantities, at an early age. In Southern Minn., suggested for trial only. 3 to 4 ft. trees, \$1.15 each ppd.



RASPBERRY PLANTS

BIG RED LATHAM One Inch in Diameter!

(6704) The nation's King of Red Raspherries Originated in Minnesota, and grown everywhere. A perfectly hardy, strong, vigorous grower, outyielding all others. Most profitable for market. No. 1 Plants: 10 for \$2.49, 25 for \$5.45, 100 for \$18.95, postpaid.

### NEWBURGH Finest Quality of all Red Raspberries

(6715) Here's the big, firm top-quality berry that does not crumble in picking, or shipping. These husky, hardy plants bear so heavily that canes often bend to the ground! Most appetizing flavor and aroma. Many Twin City and Duluth growers pro-claim them "better than Latham." No. 1 Plants: 10 for \$2.75, 25 for \$5.95, 100 for \$21.00, postpaid.

### INDIAN SUMMER Everbearing Raspberry

(6705) A Two-crop Red Raspberry from New York Experiment Station. Bears in summer and again in fall, continuing until frost. The berries are large, somewhat conical, of medium red color and high quality. Plants are hardy and vigorous growers. A real chance to profit from fall marketing. No. 1 Plants: 10 for \$2.75. 25 for \$5.95, 100 for \$21.00, postpaid.

### NEW DURHAM Early Fruiting

(6700) This wonderful garden berry produces fresh fruit for your table or for freezing, from early summer 'til frost! Bears big crops on the old canes, then in a few weeks new canes start to bear, continuing 'til frost. It's easy to pick loads of big beautiful red berries from the big 3 ft. canes. No. 1 plants: 5 for \$1.95, 10 for \$3.50, 25 for \$7.75, 100 for \$29.00, all postpaid.

# SODUS Best Purple Raspberry

(6712) Large, firm, fine quality berries of wine-red, purple color. You will prize this variety highly. No. 1 Tips: 10 for \$2.49, 25 for \$5.45, 100 for \$18.95, postpaid.



### CUMBERLAND Standard Black Raspberry

(6706) Produces crops every year — succeeds on all kinds of soil. Berries extra large, glossy-black. No. 1 Tips: 10 for \$2.25, 25 for \$4.65, 100 for \$17.25, postpaid.

(6711) No. 1 Heavy Transplants: 5 for \$2.50, 10 for \$4.50, 25 for \$10.25, postpaid.

### New & Better BLACK HAWK New & Better Black Raspberry

(6702) Proved the heaviest cropper, the most hardy of all black caps, yielding up to 5,000 pints per acre! Developed at Iowa State College, it bears early in July, large, flavorful, glossy black fruit, that's firm and doesn't crumble. Berries retain their shape, canned or frozen. Limited supply. 1 Yr. Tips: 5 for \$1.95, 10 for \$3.40, 25 for \$7.50, 100 for \$27.00, ppd.



### CONCORD GRAPE Standard of

(6601) Favorite grape for market or home use. Large bunches of bluish-black berries with delicious flavor. Keeps well. 2-yr. Plants: 2 for 95c, 5 for \$1.95, 25 for \$8.25, postpaid.

### FREDONIA GRAPE Early Black

(6604) An early large Grape for the North —three weeks earlier than Concord. Vines are vigorous—clusters of medium size, very compact. 2-yr. Plants: each 55c, 5 for \$2.25, 25 for \$9.90, postpaid.

# BETA GRAPE Hardy as Wild Grapes

(6606) Always dependable, heavy crops every year. Fruit of medium size, good quality, early—excellent for jelly and grape juice. **2-yr.** Plants: each 55c, 5 for \$2.25, 25 for \$9.90, ppd.

### CACO GRAPE Hardiest of all Red Grapes!

(6602) Ripens before Concord and it's sweet 2 weeks before it's ripe! Bears plump, compact bunches of big, beautiful wine-red grapes with a rich, sweet flavor that provides the best dessert quality. 2 yr. plants: 65c each, 5 for \$2.95, 25 for \$12.75, postpaid.

# NIAGARA GRAPE Most Popular White Grape

(6609) Sometimes called the White Concord. Big greenish white grapes of superb tangy flavor, loaded on vigorous vines. 2 yr. plants: 60c each, 5 for \$2.45, 25 for \$10.50, postpaid.

### (6620) BIG 6 GRAPE OFFER: PLANTS S

3 Concord (blue) 1 Caco (red) 1 Niagara (green) 1 Fredonia (black)

# BLUEBERRIES

on attractive lawn shrubs! 3 yr. plants often bear following year. They prefer acid soil, high water level, mild climate, two varieties to pollinate. Aluminum Sulphate soil conditioner cluded. Ask for culture leaflet.

(6819) RUBEL (6820) JERSEY 2 PLANTS (one of each) 3 Yr. Size, for \$3.65 ppd.



Blackberry

### BLACKBERRIES

ALFRED /

(6815) Berries  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches long! The ideal table berry — of fine flavor and practically coreless, with but few small seeds. Stands 35 below zero. No. 1 Root Cuttings: 10 for \$1.85, 25 for \$4.00, 100 for \$14.75, postpaid.

### **NEW EBONY KING**

(6814) A Blackberry that's a sure bearer. Every year Ebony King bears big, ripe fruit. Plants start bearing young, mature their fruit early, and even young plants produce up to a quart of fruit. Berries are big, glossy black, with tangy-sweet flavor, practically coreless. **No. 1 Root** Cuttings: 5 for \$2.50, 10 for \$4.45, 25 for \$10.00. ppd.

# DWARF APPLE TREES Grow big apples on novel shrub-like trees, easy to spray and pick. These "pint-size" trees bear sooner, often in 2 years, are a gargeous mass of bloom each spring, and have proved hardy in protected areas as far north as St. Paul. Choose from twarfettes: (6145) DWARF RED DELICIOUS (6146) DWARF RED DELICIOUS (6147) DWARF MINTOSH (6148) DWARF RED JONATHAN (6148) DWARF RED JONATHAN YOUR CHOICE: 4½ to 5 ft. tree \$4.20 each. prepaid.

### Grow America's Finest FLOWERING CRABS For Breathtaking Beauty

MINNESOTA'S NEW RADIANT FLOWERING CRAB.
Pictured in color on page 38

Pictured in color on page (5703) ALMEY FLOWERING CRAB. Breath-taking clouds of dollar size blooms of glustening fiery red, — almost fuchsia red! Looks like a mass of flame. Developed in Canada. Often blooms 2nd year. 4 to 5 ft. trees: \$3.25 each. 2 for \$6,20, postpaid.

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(5701) HOPA FLOWERING CRAB, Big, deep rose-pink single blooms literally smother the tree, followed by small red fruit that makes a good iell. 4 to 5 ft. trees: \$2.15 each, 2 for \$4.00, postpaid by mail.

(5700) BECHTEL'S DOUBLE FLOWER-

paid by mail.

(5700) BECHTEL'S DOUBLE FLOWERING CRAB. A spectacular display of
thousands of delicate pink, double
blooms that look like miniature roses!
Perfumes entire yard. 3 to 4 ft. trees:
\$2.30 each, 2 for \$4.25, postpaid.

(5706) IRENE (sister to CRIMSON

(5706) IRENE (sister to CRIMSON BRILLIANT FLOWERING CRAB). New IRENE boasts similar brilliant red single blooms that literally smother the tree with flowers, similar hardiness for all areas, and similar quick-to-bloom nature — it often blooms first spring after planting. However, IRENE is more dwarf, — growing only 12 ft, tall to fit the small yard. One of the very finest red flowered crabs. 4 to 5 ft. trees \$2.95 each. 2 for \$5.65, postpaid.

(5717) VAN ESELTINE FLOWERING CRAB — Here's the best of the upright, vase-shaped (often called "pyramidal") Flowering Crabs. No flowering cherry surpasses these compact little vase-form trees in beauty! Thousands of big double rose-pink blooms make a breathtaking sight of this columnar tree. Other so-called "pyramidal" crabs, spread considerably after the first few years. 4 to 5 ft. trees \$2.95 each, 2 for \$5.65, postpaid.





(6133) CHESTNUT CRAB — A delightful new apple from Minnesota's Experiment Station. Intermediate in size between a standard eating apple and a crab apple — just right for school lunches. Attractive reddish bronze appearance. Flesh is crisp and juicy with pleasing nut-like flavor. Nothing finer for eating fresh, for sauce, pies or pickles! Extremely hardy and cedar rust resistant. 3 to 4 ft. trees, \$1.65 each (4 or more at \$1.50 each). 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$2.25 each, postpaid.

(6124) WHITNEY CRAB—A favorite in the home for canning and preserving. Fruit is of good size—very high color. Immense crops. 3 to 4 ft. trees, \$1.35 each (4 or more at \$1.25 each). 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$2.00 each, postpaid.

(6139) DOLGO. THE LAWN TREE CRAB—Has rare beauty as an ornamental lawn tree, and is perfectly hardy. The apple itself is a very rich red, and jells perfectly, even when dead ripe. A fine canning crab. 3 to 4 ft. trees. \$1.45 each (4 or more at \$1.35 each). 5 to 6 ft. trees. \$2.10 each, postpaid.

(5709) CENTENNIAL CRAB — U. of Minnesota's famous new eating "apple-crab", that's small for an apple, yet big for a crab! It's a hybrid of Wealthy Apple and Dolgo Crab and ripens loads of fruit late in August, that retains its wonderful quality far longer than Whitney. Super hardy semi-dwarf trees fit the small yard. 4 to 5 ft. trees \$2.25 each, 2 for \$4.10, postpaid.



Bechtel's Double Flowering Crab



Hopa Flowering Crab

## HARDY Northern Rooted APPLE TREES

#### Standard Varieties

(6104) RED McINTOSH — An old favorite that ripens in September and keeps 'till after Christmas. Good sized, crisp, juicy apples with beautiful dark red skin.

(6105) WEALTHY - One of Minnesota's most popular fall apples. Bright red, large size, with juicy, sprightly flavor. A good eating apple that yields heavily and keeps into December. Grown throughout Minnesota.

(6102) RED DUCHESS — Very popular early fall eating apple that's among the first to ripen everywhere. Makes fine pies and apple sauce. Good sized fruit with attractive red color.

(6108) RED DELICIOUS — A favorite winter apple that's dependable only in the most favorable areas of southern Minnesota and further south. Fruit is large, all red, sweet and delicious.

(6118) NORTHWESTERN GREENING - A popular old winter variety, with large, smooth, handsome green fruit, turning yellow when mature. A good winter keeper and a splendid cooking apple, especially fine for pies.

(6113) YELLOW TRANSPARENT - A favorite summer apple with finest quality of the extra early ripening sorts. The crisp white flesh is very sweet, juicy, and flavorful. Fruits are large attractive yellow color. Very hardy, dependable cropper.

#### YOUR CHOICE OF ABOVE:

3 to 4 ft. trees Ppd.

(4 or more, \$1.25 ea.; 8 or more, \$1.20 ea.)

trees

(4 or more, \$1.85 ea.; 8 or more, \$1.75 ea.)

## FAVORITE APPLES \$5.65

1 - Haralson 1 - Yellow Transp. 1 - Wealthy 1 - N.W. Greening (All 4 to 5 ft. size)

Master Farmer FRUIT SPRAY

insecticide - fungicide spray for apples, pears, plums, cherries, grapes, berries, 1 lb. can (makes 10 gals. solution) \$1.25 prepaid.



Improved Apples from Minnesota's **Experiment Station** 

(See also page 37)

(6137) BEACON — A better fall apple that ripens a few days after Duchess, but is not so perishable. It keeps well into Wealthy season! There's no finer early red eating apple—it's highly colored, has fine quality and flavor, it's solid red, very hardy and a heavy bearer.

(6135) FIRESIDE - NOW! A MINNESOTA DELICIOUS that's hardy for Minnesota! Truly a triumph of fruit breeding. Flavor and texture even better than Delicious, although fruit is not so highly colored. Fireside is a large, long keeping winter apple with the finest flavor ever produced at Minnesota's Fruit Farm. Flesh is crisp, sweet, juicy—never becomes "flat and mealy."

(6131) ORIOLE - A new harvest apple from Minn. Fruit Farm. Prof. Alderman (U. of Minn.) says of it: "A large attractive early summer apple of top quality for dessert or cooking." Destined to replace such varieties as Yellow Transparent. Color is red over yellow. Profitable for home or market.

(6134) PRAIRIE SPY — An extra long-keeping winter apple with the BEST QUALITY of any available in late winter and early spring! For eating or cooking it's unsurpassed by any apple that stands up so well in storage for many months. It bears very young and heavily, fruit is big, bright red and of excellent flavor.



(6136) HARALSON - The most popular winter apple among Minnesota commercial growers. Large size, deep red color, and excellent flavor. Keeps in perfect condition until late spring. Free from blight and tends to bear early. Can be grown throughout Minnesota.

(6128) MINJON — A Minnesota Jonathan that thrives and produces in Northern Minnesota! Its season is late fall, following Wealthy. It bears regularly, heavy loads of brilliant all-red apples. It colors up well and hangs tightly to tree until picked.

(6132) VICTORY — A new Minnesota model of the old McIntosh! It has McIntosh shape, color and quality but ripens a week later, and keeps a month longer. Flesh is firmer, color is better, tree is hardier, fruit is not inclined to drop before harvest and it cooks and bakes better than McIntosh.

## YOUR CHOICE of above MINNESOTA APPLES — All Postpaid:

3 to 4 ft. Each Ppd. trees

(4 or more, \$1.50 ea.; 8 or more, \$1.40 ea.)

WE PAY POSTAGE 5 to 6 ft. Ppd. trees

(4 or more, \$2.10 ea.; 8 or more, \$2.00 ea.)

(6179) All-Season Apple Orchard

All-Season APPLES \$4.95
1 - ORIOLE Summer Apple
1 - FIRESIDE Winter Apple 1 - ORIOLE Summer Apple
1 - FIRESIDE Winter Apple
1 - BEACON Fall Apple

(1 of each, 4-5 ft.)

(6121) JONADEL — Developed at Iowa State College by crossing Jonathan with Red Delicious. Hardier than either parent! Dark red fruit of Jonathan type, but larger and keeps longer. Not yet tested north of Waterloo. 5 to 6 ft. trees \$2.65 each, ppd.

## HARDY PEARS for the NORTH

(6210) PATTEN PEAR - This pear is recommended for southern Minnesota and suggested for trial in favorable locations farther north. The fruit is of good size, resembles Bartlett in form and color; very tender, juicy and of good quality. Season, September. 3 to 4 ft. trees. \$1.55 each, 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$2.40 each, postpaid.

(6200) MAX-RED PEAR - A new, improved Bartlett with a beautiful, solid red skin, and 10% higher sugar content. It's hardy for the same areas as Bartlett at right. A real beauty! 4 to 5 ft. trees. \$2.65 each, postpaid.

(See Color Page 37) (6204) PARKER PEAR - Developed by Minn. State Fruit Farm for southern half of Minnesota and similar latitudes. Fruits are good sized, attractive and delicious with smooth, yellow-bronze skin. Flesh is fine-grained, tender, sweet, and juicy. Ripens early September. 3 to 4 ft. trees, \$1.55 each, 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$2.40 each, postpaid.

(6201) BARTLETT PEAR - For favorable greas only, here's the leading commercial pear and one of the most desirable for dessert and canning. The large fruits have rich golden color with pink blush, are sweet and juicy, and keep well. Considered hardy in Iowa, Illinois and regions to the south and east, but not hardy in Minnesota. 3 to 4 ft. trees, \$1.55 each, 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$2.40 each, postpaid.

NORTHLAND I PARKER 4 to 5 ft. I PATTEN 4 to 5 ft. \$3.65 COLLECTION We Prune 5 to 6 ft. Fruit Trees so they can be Mailed

## Hardy CHERRIES Cherries and Plums on COLOR PAGE Adjoining, are DESCRIBED BELOW!

### Best Cherry-Plums

Hybrid cherry-plums are very hardy — thrive in any soil (even sand)—bears in 2 or 3 years. Ideal for canning, sauce, pies.

(6526) SAPALTA — See adjacent COLOR PAGE. A big flavorful cherry-plum from Canada. Fruit of Sapa type, but sweeter and less cling-stone. Delicious eaten fresh or in pies and preserves. Plant with Compass cherry pollinator. 3 to 4 ft. trees, \$1.75 each, 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$2.45 each, postpaid.

(6528) COMPASS CHERRY—Hardy everywhere. Fruit is black, of medium size and good quality. Makes delicious pies, preserves. The most effective pollinator for Sapalta. 4 to 5 ft. trees, \$2.15 each, postpaid.

#### **DELICIOUS JAM RECIPE**

Cover Cherry-Plums with water, add  $1\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoons soda, boil till skins break, drain through colander, remove pits. Add sugar pound for pound. To a moderate sized kettleful, add one tablespoonful of vinegar, boil until thick. Put in jars and seal.



New Meteor, Minnesota's Big, Luscious, Super Hardy Pie Cherry for Severe Climates

### True Pie Cherries for All Climates!

(6375) NEW METEOR — Extra big, sparkling red, genuine pie cherries, loaded on 8 to 10 ft. trees that thrive in Minnesota's severe climate! These big Montmorency type fruits are meaty, juicy, flavorful with thin tender skin and small free pit. Ripen 12 days after North Star. Requires no pollinator. 21/2 to 3 ft. trees, \$2.15 each, prepaid.

(6310) MONTMORENCY IMPROVED

-The most popular Sour Cherry for cherry growing regions, but not hardy here in the north. A popular favorite for canning and market. Fruits are large, have rich red color, good flavor. Ripens late June. 3 to 4 ft. trees, \$1.55 each, 4 to 5 ft. trees, \$2.35 each, postpaid.

### New Dwarf Cherry Trees Bear Big, Real Cherries

(6374) NEW NORTH STAR—See adjacent COLOR PAGE. A super hardy dwarf tree from U. of Minn. that grows 5 to 7 ft. high and matures big, glistening, mahogany-red, red pie cherries early in July! Superb quality, Morello type, free stone fruits make luscious pies of rich cherry-red color. These ornamental little trees are hardy throughout Minnesota and require no pollinator. 21/2 to 3 ft. trees, \$2.15 each, post-

(6376) MEW DWARFRICH CHERRY - An extremely hardy new dwarf cherry developed in Wyoming's severe climate. Very bushy, shrublike trees grow 5 to 6 ft. tall and just as wide. bear brilliant red, fine flavored cherries of medium size. In spring, a mass of white blooms cover the bushy little trees making perfect ornamental lawn plants that should not be confused with Bush Cherries because Dwarfrich bears real cherries and good ones, even in the North! Self-fertile - no pollinator needed. 15 to 18 in. plants, \$2.80 each, postpaid.

# Purple Flesh Cherry-Plums JUMBO PLUMS Grow Everywhere Superior

#### POLLINIZER PLUMS

Either Toka or Kaga are effective pollinizers for Pipestone, Red Coat or Superior. Plant one pollinizer for every 6 or 8 Minnesota Plums.

(6504) TOKA — See adjacent COLOR PAGE. One of the richest flavored of all — very sweet with a spicy, tangy flavor. One and onehalf inch fruits of beautiful apricot color with firm yellow flesh and free stone, ripen late August. 3 to 4 ft./trees, \$1.45 each, 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$2.35 each, postpaid.

(6529) KAGA — An outstanding canning plum originated by Prof. Hansen. Has a distinct, delicious flavor, and is sometimes called the apricot plum. 3 to 4 ft. trees, \$1.85 each. 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$2.45 each, postpaid.

#### NEWEST MINNESOTA EXPERIMENT STATION PLUMS:

These plums yield best when planted with Toka or Kaga as pollipizers (at left).

(6525) PIPESTONE PLUM — See adjacent COLOR PAGE. Minnesota's newest "JUMBO" plum! Largest of all and much better than most plums now grown. Extra early - ripens first week in August. A heavy cropper - exceptional eating quality and also excellent for canning. 3 to 4 ft. trees, \$1.45 each, 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$2.35 each, postpaid.

(6524) REDCOAT—(Free Stone). This brand new Minn. State Fruit Farm plum bears heavy loads of choice quality, all red, prune shaped fruit, with a perfectly free stone. A grand improvement over Red Wing and older plums. 3 to 4 ft. trees, \$1.45 each, 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$2.35 each, postpaid.

(6500) SUPERIOR — A hardy plum originated at the State Fruit Breeding Farm by crossing big California Burbank varieties. As large as California plums, surpassing them in quality and hardiness. Firm flesh, beautiful red color, peels like a peach. 3 to 4 ft. trees, \$1.45 each. 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$2.35 each, postpaid.

#### WE PAY THE POSTAGE!

#### EUROPEAN TYPE BLUE PLUMS HARDY FOR MINNESOTA:

These plums require no pollinizer —  $\alpha$  single tree bears fruit by itself.

(6508) STANLEY PRUNE — See adjacent COLOR PAGE. Gardeners as far north as St. Paul can grow big, delicious Italian type prunes. Very sweet, firm yellow flesh. Good for eating fresh or canning. Self-fertile. Further north, grow the smaller, hardier Mt. Royal. 3 to 4 ft. trees. \$1.45 each, 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$2.35 each, postpaid.

(6530) MT. ROYAL BLUE PLUM - Now you can grow these European Type Blue Plums in your own back yard. Fruit is a beautiful blue—makes delightful dessert, jam or preserves.



Sapalta





U. of Minnesota's famous ornamental crab is truly radiant in flower, in foliage, and in fruit! It's a blaze of bright rosy-pink flowers in spring, followed by tiny brilliant crimson fruits that decorate the tree for many months. It's compact, upright grows only 12-14 ft. tall, makes a colorful landscape accent in shrub border, garden back-ground, or as individual lawn specimen. 4-5 ft. trees \$2.95 each postpaid.



Frosty Morn Mockorange





Gold Drop Shrub

#### GOLD DROP SHRUB

(5304) Pontentilla Farreri. Charming little 2 ft. emerald mounds of fern-like foliage studded with brilliant golden Buttercup like flowers from June to October! No other shrub blooms so cheerfully all summer and fall! Hardy everywhere. 15-18 in. plants \$1.55 each, 3 for \$4.35 ppd.



#### CRIMSON SPIREA

(5436) A. W. Favorite low grower for ranch type homes! Great masses of rosy-crimson flowers envelope  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. plants in July—then scattered blooms 'till frost! 15-18 in. plant 95c, 3 for \$2.55 ppd.

#### Dwf. WHITE SPIREA

(5440) Calosa Alba. Similiar to crimson but white blooms all summer long. 12-15 in. plant 95c, 3 for \$2.55 ppd.

#### **NEW CRIMSON PYGMY BARBERRY**

(5504) New miniature red-leaved shrub from Holland grows only 12 inches high in neat compact form and delightful coloring. Older leaves are blood red while newer growth, se shades lighter, sparkles in the sunlight! 6-9 inch plants \$1.25 each, 3 for \$3.60 postpaid.

(5448) 4 DWF. SHRUBS (1 ea. above) \$4.25 ppd.





Pygmy Barberry

#### (5490) FROSTY MORN **New MOCKORANGE**

A delightful new dwarf Mock-orange for low rambler homes! Grows only 3 ft. tall, and it's liter-ally smothered with glistening, snow white, very double blossoms of intense fragrance, throughout late June and early July. A thoroughly hardy and most desirable specimen landscape shrub. (Plant Pat. 1174) 12-15 in. plants \$1.25 each, 3 for \$3.15 ppd.

#### **CLEMATIS VINES**

Most colorful, most gorgeous of all flowering vines! Easier to grow from our dormant pot plants which pour out hundreds of big vivid, velvety, violet-purple flowers for weeks. Often blooms the first year on trellis or fence that's shaded after noon.

(2610) Purple (2611) Blue (2613) Red

Dormant 2½" Pot Plants: \$1.50 each. (2615) Collection Offer, 1 of each, \$3.95 ppd.

#### (5513) **BLUE LEAF** ARCTIC HEDGE

Grow the most distinctive hedge in your neighborhood with beautiful, silvery, blue-green feathery foliage! Hardy in Canada. Thrives in sun or part shade. Grows 3 ft. tall. Trim as desired. 50 plants make 50 ft. hedge. 12 to 15 in. plants: 10 for \$4.50, 25 for \$10.00, 100 for \$37.00 ppd.



## **SMOKE TREE** or Purple Fringe

(Cotinus coggygria)

Spectacular billowy clouds of misty purplish flowers during early summer. Deep green summer foliage turns brilliant yellow and purple in fall. This shrub-like tree grows 15 ft. tall, prefers dry, sunny locations, hardy for central Minnesota. 2-3 ft. plants \$1.98 each ppd.

#### HARLEQUIN **MAPLE** (5821)

This outstanding ornamenta tree makes a striking display with deeply-cut rich green leaves beautifully edged in silver! Grows to a shapely, rounded, compact tree 40 to 50 ft. tall, provides dense shade. In lawn or boulevard. it soon becomes a great source of pride to any home owner. Perfectly hardy 4-5 ft. trees (not branched) \$3.50 each, 2 for \$6.45 ppd.



Smoke Tree







## CRIMSON GLORY

(5050) Today's best buy in roses! Rosarians claim it the best red rose ever developed and its patent expired, permitting this bargain price! Magnificent blooms of deep velvety crimson all summer. So fragrant, a few flowers perfume the room. 2 yr.

No. 1 plants \$1.35 each, 3 for \$3.75 postpaid.

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#### PEACE

(5021) Acclaimed the world's finest rose of all time! An exquisite range of color unfolds as golden buds etched pink, open to huge 5 inch canary yellow blooms, changing to iridescent cream with petals etched a deepening apple blossom pink! A wonderful producer of giant, long-stemmed beauties. 2 yr. No. 1 plants \$2.50 each, 3 for \$6.60 postpaid.



## PATENTED EVERBLOOMING

Pictured in Color at Left

A (5004) CHRYSLER IMPERIAL. (Pat. 1167) America's greatest exhibition red rose. Beautiful high-centered buds unfold to mammoth heavy textured rich crimson with glowing oxblood red overtones. Each \$2.50; 3 for \$6.60, ppd.

B (5014) HELEN TRAUBEL. (Pat. 1028) Large 4-5 in. blooms of sparkling light pink to luminous apricot changing with weather conditions. Unusually large, long, beautiful buds. Vigorous grower. Each \$2.75; 3 for \$7.20, ppd.

C (5025) GOLDEN GIRL. Actually a Grandiflora but producing such big 41/2" roses as abundantly as a Floribunda! The first real good pure yellow of tea rose proportions. Each \$3.00; 3 for \$7.95, ppd.

## TEA ROSES

All 2-yr. No. 1 field-grown plants

(5024) KORDES PERFECTA. Exquisite color combination! Cream-white petals are lined with pink and edges appear dipped in carmine; a suffusion of yellow as flower opens. Each \$3.50, ppd.

(5046) WHITE KNIGHT. 1958's famous All America rose from France! Long, tapered buds open to satiny textured blossoms of 30 or 35 dazzling white, gracefully curled petals. Each \$3.00; 3 for \$7.95.

(5278) Non-Patented Tea Rose Bargain

BIG TEA ROSES

1 - The Doctor (pink)
1 - Christopher Stone (red)
1 - Eclipse (yellow)
1 - McGredy's Ivory

**\$1**.65 Ppd.



Kordes Perfecta, Sensational 2-Tone Rose

Frensham

England's

Crimson Floribunda

Gold Medal

FLORIBUNDA ROSES - Ideal for Beds, Some Pictured in Color at Left

D (5149) LITTLE DARLING. Charming new Floribunda boasting brilliant redorange buds on outer circle, to tones of rosepink and warm buttercup yellow at heart. Each \$2.00; 3 for \$5.25, ppd.

E (5157) AMY VANDERBILT. A new color in roses! Big clusters with 4 to 8 blooms of novel purple-lilac buds open to lovely cool lavender roses. No. 1 plants \$2.25 each; 3 for \$5.95, ppd.

F (5185) PRAIRIE FIRE. U. of Minnesota's spectacular new large-flowered Floribunda, A tidal-wave of flowering red roses in gigantic clusters of 35 to 55 flowers per cluster, on hardy 4-ft. plants! Each \$2.50; 3 for \$6.60, ppd.

(5151) FASHION. (Pat. 789) A superb color. Luminous coral-pink overlaid with gold, deepening in tone as the flower opens. Old rose fragrance. Each \$2.00; 3 for \$5.25, ppd.

(5153) IVORY FASHION. (Pat. 1688) AARS Winner for 1959. Long slender buds slowly open to 4-inch blooms of beautiful ivory color; the fresh appearance and color is held until the petals drop. Each \$2.75; 3 for \$7.20, ppd.

## SUPER HARDY RUGOSA ROSES

(Hedging Grade Plants on Page 42)

The Rugosas withstand Minnesota winters without covering. May be planted near foundation, as a hedge or border, among other shrubs or in mass plantings. All 2-yr. field grown plants.

(5096) GROOTENDORST SUPREME. Deep crimson-red long-lasting flowers in clusters that resemble semi-double carnations or Crimson Baby Rambler roses. Grows 3-4 ft.

(5098) PINK GROOTENDORST. Same as above except flowers are a charming pink. Good bloomer. Grows 3-4 ft.

(5093) HANSA. Large, double, fragrant flowers of a rich wine-red color. Handsome dark green foliage. Sturdy and free flowering. Grows 4-5 ft.

(5097) HUGONIS. Soft yellow flowers grow profusely all along the branches and bloom very early. Extremely hardy. Grow 4 to 5 feet tall.

(5092) BELLE POITEVINE. Queen of the pinks. Clusters of double Magenta-pink roses in June and intermittently through the summer. Grows

YOUR CHOICE above RUGOSAS: Any 3 postpd. 2-yr. No. 1 for \$3.75

Borders, and Hedges ... All 2-yr. No. 1 field-grown plants (5155) FIRE KING. 1960 All America Floribunda boasting delightful blood-red pointed buds, opening to gorgeous fiery red 3-inch roses. Deep green leaves with reddish tips.

Each \$2.50; 3 for \$6.60, ppd.

(5162) GOLD CUP. All America Winner and the first really good yellow floribunda! 30inch plants with nicely pointed buds and 3-4 inch perfumed sunny yellow roses! Retains gold color 'till petals fall. Each \$2.50; 3 for \$6.60, ppd.

(5165) FRENSHAM. Gold medal winner from England. Proclaimed the finest red Flori-bunda! Provides an abundance of crimsonvermilion-red roses, borne in huge clusters. Healthy, rich green foliage. Each \$1.35; 3 for \$3.75, ppd.

(5176) EUTIN. Fully double flowers of glowing fiery-red, borne in clusters of 50 or more blooms. Long sturdy stems; leathery dark foliage. Each \$1.35; 3 for \$3.75, ppd.

(5169) GARNETTE. Hundreds of petite, fully double, dark red, long-lasting sweetheart roses on small 18-inch plants. Crinkled holly-like foliage. (Plants are small.) Each \$1.50; 3 for \$4.15, ppd.

## (5282) 4 - COLOR FLORIBUNDA OFFER **FLORIBUNDAS**

1 - Floridora (red)
1 - Rochester (yellow)
1 - Rose Elfe (pink)
2-Yr. 1 - White Lafayette

Ppd.

## **BOOK of 128 ROSE RECIPES!**

The ancient art of cooking with Roses! Recipes and rose lore from 14 countries.



Grootendorst Super Hardy Rugosa

(Pictured in Color at Left) These unusually vigorous roses bloom constantly

all summer! They live years longer than other Tea Roses, even after sub-zero winters. Bank with soil for winter protection.

LONG-LIVED

SUB-ZERO ROSES

G (5129) V FOR VICTORY. One of few fine yellow roses. Retains its color through full maturity. Big, fragrant, heavily petaled. Continuously blooming.

H (5135) HANDSOM RED. Most brilliant color ever captured in Sub-Zero Roses! Intense, fiery, Poinsettia-red, double blooms that withstand hot sun.

■ (5137) HELEN HAYES. Most fragrant of all. Flowers open yellow, deepen to orange, then to warm pink in full bloom. Almost thornless.

J (5136) CURLY PINK. Each stem grows several big pure salmon-pink curly petaled blossoms. A gorgeous bouquet on a single stem!

K (5134) LILY PONS. An exquisite, free flowering white rose with pure yellow center. Large, graceful flowers of indescribable delicacy. Featured in Minneapolis, St. Paul Municipal

**YOUR CHOICE above SUB-ZEROS:** 

2-yr. No. 1 Any 3 postpd. **PLANTS** for \$5.25



EVERBLOOMING BLAZE — a dazzling scarlet climber

All 2-yr. No. 1 field grown plants

(5107) EVERBLOOMING BLAZE. (Improved) Blooms more gloriously than ever! This improved new strain of Blaze will delight you with its hundreds of dazzling scarlet, 2-inch Roses produced from June right through September. Hardy, vigorous, dependable. Each \$1.35; 3

(5115) PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER. A long-time favorite and still very popular. Semi-double flowers of vivid scarlet-red are produced in clusters of from 3 to 10 blooms on strong, many-branched canes. A vigorous grower and prolific bloomer. Each \$1.25; 3 for \$3.60, ppd.

(5120) SEVEN SISTERS. Very double, deep pink roses are borne in huge, spectacular clusters on free-blooming, climbing plants. In full bloom, this grand old favorite makes a sight to behold! Each \$1.35; 3 for \$3.75, ppd.

(5105) DR. J. H. NICOLAS. Giant 5-6" double roses with 50 deep rose-pink petals! The patent now expires on this gargeous everblooming climber, so it's a bargain that makes a magnificent sight on porch, fence or trellis. Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.95 ppd.

(5119) WHITE DAWN. The hardiest, most free flowering everblooming white climber to date! Hundreds of gardenia-like roses with that rare gardenia-like fragrance. Developed in the North by U. of Minn. Each \$1.50; 3 for \$3.95, ppd.

(5128) CLIMBING GOLDEN PYRAMID. Huge clusters of golden yellow fragrant blooms almost hide the foliage! Hardiest, most vigorous climber of all. It's a Sub-Zero Rose, but winter-protect in the North. Each \$1.85, 3 for \$5.25, ppd.

(5114) GOLDEN SHOWERS. The first All America climber in 16 years! Long pointed buds, open to huge, fragrant golden yellow roses. Truly ever-blooming. Resistant to mildew and black spot, winter protection in North. Pat. Each \$2.75; 3 for \$7.20, ppd.

(5270)RED, WHITE & PINK ROSE ARBOR:

CLIMBING 2 BLAZE (Scarlet)
WHITE DAWN 1 DR. J. H. NICOLAS

## ROSE HEDGE



If you've dreamed of a rose hedge around your garden, here's your opportunity. These hedging grades are less expensive and will increase in size and beauty every year. Floribundas grow 3 ft. high, need soil mounded up in northern winters. Grootendorst grows 4-5 ft., needs no winter cover.

(5518) RED GROOTENDORST ROSE **HEDGING** — Makes a gorgeous flowering hedge 3 to 5 ft. tall. Blooms from early summer to frost. Of Rugosa parentage, it's superhardy, succeeding where other shrubs fail. Blooms profusely when pruned to low hedge or grown to full height. These cherry-red roses contrast strikingly with rich deep green foliage. Plant 18 to 24 in. apart. 9 to 12 inch hedging plants; for \$4.00, 10 for \$7.50, 25 for \$17.50, postpaid.

FLORIBUNDA ROSE HEDGING -Only 70c each in Lots of 10 to 25 Well branched bushes with dense attractive foliage grow 3 ft. high and provide continuous display of bloom from early summer to frost. Makes gorgeous picture-window view when big-clusters of buds open to colorful semi-double fragrant roses. In North, mound with soil for winter. Choice of: (5519) RED (5526) PINK (5527) YELLOW. 5 of one color \$3.75, 10 of one color \$7.00, ppd.

## CLIMBING

Most colorful, most gorgeous of all flowering vines! Easy to grow from our dormant pot plants which pour out hundreds of big vivid, velvety flowers. Often blooms 1st year on trellis that's shaded afternoon.

(2610) PURPLE (Jackmani) (2611) BLUE (Ramona) (2613) RED (Crimson Star) Dormant 21/4" Pot Plants: \$1.50 each.



Clematis Crimson Star

(2615) CLEMATIS COLLECTION: 3 PLANTS (1 of each) \$3.95, ppd.

#### (5538) BOSTON IVY — (Parthenocissus Tricuspidata)

A rapid growing vine that once established will cling to bricks, stone, cement or wood without support. Leaves are three-lobed, light green turning reddish in fall. Hardy from Twin Cities south. 2-yr. select plants, each 95c, prepaid.

### (5541) SCARLET TRUMPET VINE — (Bignonia Radicans)

A vigorous upright-growing vine with large showy trumpet shaped flowers of bright scarlet in July-August. No. 1 plants, each 85c, ppd.

#### (5537) NEW BITTERSWEET Grows Berries 1st Year!

(celastrus Loeseneri)

This new sure-to-fruit Chinese Bittersweet is the earliest fruiting and the heaviest fruiting variety ever discovered! Just one plant will fruit, but two planted in same hole, will cross-pollenize and bear a greater abundance of those brilliant orange-scarlet berries that make such wonderful long-lasting winter bouquets. The twining vines will cover and decorate tree stumps, porch trellis, etc. 2-yr. No. 1 plants \$1.20 each, ppd.

### (5539) HALL'S HONEYSUCKLE

For ground-cover, Trellis or Banks. Rapid growing vine with beautiful foliage, fra-grant creamy white flowers.

No. 1 plants, each 65c; 6 for \$3.25, ppd.



New Sure-to-Fruit Bittersweet

## HARDY HEDGE PLANTS



## The Friendly Way to Fence

### 1) DWARF BLUE LEAF ARCTIC HEDGE

Set plants 12 to 24 inches apart

(5513) An entirely new and different color in hedges, with fine feathery foliage of a silvery blue-green color. Blue Leaf Arctic is so hardy, that it thrives even in Canada, does well in dry or wet soil, in full sun or partial shade. Left untrimmed, it makes a most attractive, compact, dwarf hedge about 3 feet tall. Can be trimmed as desired for a neat low boundary hedge. (Color photo, Page 38.) 12 to 15 in. plants: 10 for \$4.50, 25 for \$10.00, 100 for \$37.00, postpaid.

### **2** COTONEASTER

Set plants 18 to 24 inches apart

(5524) (Acutifolia) Here's the most versatile hedging we know of! It's splendid for all areas, proving hardy in severe northern climates. It thrives in full sun or dense shade, in wet or dry soils, and tolerates severe trimming to a low formal hedge, or grows to a 6 or 8 foot screen hedge. It boasts dense, attractive deep green foliage, decorative black berries, and gorgeous fall coloring. Truly the perfect all-purpose hedge for all places. Does well under trees, or screening shady walls and fences; covering wet, dry or shady banks, where other hedges fail. 12 to 18 in. plants, 10 for \$2.50, 25 for \$5.50, 100 for \$19.50. postpaid.

#### RUSSIAN MULBERRY

Set plants 24 to 30 inches apart

(5510) An inexpensive, fast-growing hedge that can be sheared at 3 or 4 feet, or grown 10 feet high or more. Makes a sturdy, dark green hedge, bearing black fruits, delicious in pies, jams, preserves. Birds prefer Mulberries to cultivated fruits so this hedge tends to save your fruit trees and berry plants from bird damage. 18 to 24 in. plants: 10 for \$1.50, 25 for \$3.15, 100 for \$9.50, postpaid.

### **3 RED LEAF BARBERRY**

Set plants 12 to 18 inches apart

(5502) America's most popular red leaved shrub. Lustrous purple-red foliage turns brilliant orange-scarlet in fall with red berries nearly all winter. Makes a colorful, bushy hedge 2 to 3 ft. tall, without trimming. Very hardy, immune to rust. 15 to 18 in. plants: 10 for \$3.75, 25 for \$8.50, 100 for \$31.00, postpaid.

#### **4** BRIDAL WREATH

Set plants 24 to 30 inches apart

(5511) (Spirea Van Houttei) — America's most popular flowering hedge with graceful arching branches that are loaded with millions of tiny white blooms every spring. Hardy, sturdy, easy to grow in full sun or part shade. Makes a beautiful natural, untrimmed, 5 to 6 ft. hedge. 12 to 18 in. plants: 10 for \$2.65, 25 for \$5.95, 100 for \$20.00, postpaid.

#### CHINESE ELM HEDGE

Set plants 18 to 24 inches apart

(5512) Extremely hardy, drought resistant and a quick, compact grower. Covered with small, bright green foliage from early spring until late fall. Forms a dense screen. Can be trimmed to any height desired. 18 to 24 in. plants: 10 for \$1.25. 25 for \$2.60, 100 for \$8.25, postpaid.

#### GOLDEN PRIVET

Set plants 18 to 24 inches apart

(5509) A new hardy privet for the north whose new growth is a striking golden yellow to provide a most effective color contrast with surrounding landscape material. Makes a beautiful, luxurious hedge that really strikes the eye. Grows to eventual 6 ft. height but can be trimmed to any desired height. Slow growth makes frequent trimming unnecessary. Colors best in full sun. 12 to 15 in. plants: 5 for \$4.25, 10 for \$7.95, 25 for \$19.50, postpaid.

## **5 HONEYSUCKLE HEDGE**

Set plants 2 to 3 ft. apart

(5508) Thrives from Canada to the deep South, in sun or part shade. If not trimmed, grows to a magnificent 8 to 10 foot screen that provides privacy. Dainty flowers in spring, followed by colorful berries that attract birds all summer. 12 to 18 in. plants, 10 for \$2.65, 25 for \$5.95, 100 for \$20.00, postpaid.

ARBOR VITAE EVERGREEN HEDGING - (page 48)

Plant Dwarf Shrubs (Marked D) 2 feet apart. Medium Size Shrubs (Marked M) 3 feet apart. Large Size Shrubs (Marked L) 4 feet apart.

Bridal Wreath

(5444) BRIDAL WREATH (Van Houttei). M. The old-fashioned favorite. Grows 5 to 6 feet tall. Graceful, arching branches, completely covered with snow-white flowers in May and June. 18-24 in. plants, 65c each (3 for \$1.80) 2-3 ft. plants, 80c each (3 for \$2.25),

(5443) DOUBLE BRIDAL WREATH (Prunifolia). Similar to the familiar Bridal Wreath above, except the long arching branches are covered with pure white DOUBLE flowers during May and June. Grows 5 to 6 feet high. 18 to 24 in. plants: \$1.15 each (3 for \$3.30), postpaid.

## Hardy FLOWERING SHRUBS

(5437) DWARF PINK SPIREA (Frobeli). D. Handsome 3 foot shrubs covered with  $\alpha$  mass of bright rose-pink flowers from July to September. 18-24 in. plants, 90c each (3 for \$2.40), postpaid.

(5440) DWARF WHITE SPIREA ---See Page 38.



Crimson Spirea - fits rambler houses

(5436) CRIMSON SPIREA (Anthony Waterer). D. Popular, dwarf, compact shrub so effectively used in shrub borders or foundation plantings where 2-ft plants are wanted. Rosy-crimson flowers in flat-top clusters all summer. 15-18 in. plants, 95c each (3 for \$2.55), post-

#### THE FINEST MOCKORANGES

(5490) NEW DWARF MOCK-ORANGE "FROSTY MORN" (see color photo page 38.) A delightful new dwarf type for low rambler homes! Grows only 3 ft. tall, and is literally smothered with glistening white very double blossoms of intense fragrance throughout late June and early July. A thoroughly hardy and valuable landscape shrub. Patented. 12-15 in. plants. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.15, ppd.

(5491) MINNESOTA SNOWFLAKE. L. The novel patented EXTRA DOU-BLE Mockorange that blooms so profusely in June, with glistening, snow-white flowers. Grows 8 ft. tall. Delightfully sweet scented. 18-24 in. plants, \$1.55 each (3 for \$4.35), postpaid.



Semi-Double Mockorange



New Minnesota Snowflake

(5477) SEMI-DOUBLE MOCK-ORANGE (Virginal). L. Notable for its orange-blossom fragrance and magnificent spring display. creamy white flowers are often 2 inches across, semi-double, and borne in such profusion that the branches bend. Grows 6 to 8 ft. tall. 18-24 in. plants, 95c each (3 for \$2.70). 2-3 ft. plants, \$1.25 (3 for \$3.60), postpaid.

(5321) CORONARIUS MOCK-**ORANGE. L.** The old-fashioned Mockorange that is the sweetest of all. Large white single blooms used in bridal bouquets. Beautiful as a border or specimen planting. Also makes a tall upright, tight hedge. Beautiful in bloom and novel in leaf, and after leaves fall with many seed-pods that remain throughout the winter. Grows 8 to 10 feet. Perfectly hardy. 2-3 ft. plants. \$1.00 each (3 for \$2.85), post-

### POPULAR HYDRANGEAS

(5433) HYDRANGEA P. G. (M.). Bears immense white conical bloom heads, 12 to 18 inches long, in August on 4-5 ft. shrubs. When fully developed, flowers turn to pink and bronze and are often cut for winter house decoration. 18-24 in. plants \$1.00 each (3 for \$2.85). 2-3 ft. plants \$1.35 each (3 for \$3.90), postpaid.



Hydrangea P. G.



Hydrangea Hills of Snow

(5432) HYDRANGEA HILLS OF SNOW. M. Bears large clusters of white snowball-like flowers all season. Bushes of spreading growth, 3½ ft. high, with large, dark green leaves. Widely used in shady areas, in house and foundation plantings. 18.24 in plants tion plantings. 18-24 in. plants. \$1.15 each (3 for \$3.15). 2-3 ft. plants. \$1.45 each (3 for \$4.00), postpaid.

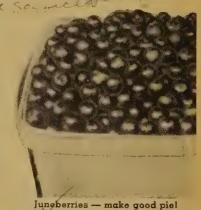
## DOUBLE DUTY SHRUBS

Beauty for Your YARD Fruit for Your KITCHEN

(6851) JUNEBERRY (M). Fruit somewhat resembles Blueberry. Pies made from it, have a flavor similar to Blueberry. BUT — you can grow Juneberry quickly and easily. No special care or soil conditioning. Super-hardy, fast-growing, thrives in any soil! Its beautiful white blossoms, its red berries which turn blue when ripe, make this plant highly ornamental. Grows 10-12 ft. tall. Order at least 2 plants to insure setting of fruit. 18-24 in. plants, \$1.25 each (3 for \$3.45), postpaid.



Bush Cramberries make good jelly (6849) NANKING CHERRY ORIENT. U. of Minn. selection from north China's hardy cherries. Graceful 7 foot shrubs, radiant with bloom in spring, followed by long ropes of bright red fruit of true cherry flavor by mid-July. Makes tasty pies. Often bear second year. 18 to 24 in. plants: \$1.65 each (3 for \$4.65),



(6856) AMERICAN CRANBERRY (L) (Viburnum Trilobum) Attractive 10 ft, flowering shrubs with white blooms followed by huge clusters of bright red berries which hang on way into winter. A beautiful lawn ornament! Berries make delicious bright red jelly with a distinctive musky flavor. 18-24 in. plants, \$1.25 each (3 for \$3.45), postpaid.



Nanking Cherry — tasty pies!



(5314) FORSYTHIA LYNWOOD GOLD — A better strain from Ireland, deeper yellow flowers smothering branches top to bottom. Dazzling golden yellow bloom completely covers 5 to 7 ft. shrubs very early in spring. Perfect for cutting winter flowering indoors! 2-3 ft. plants \$1.35 each (3 for \$3.75)

## Striking TALL SHRUBS (DWARF SHRUBS on page 38)



(5344) GOLDEN PRIVET - A new hardy Privet with beautiful golden foliage to provide interesting contrast in the shrub border all season. Hardy in the Twin Cities, Grows slowly to 6 ft. height but can be trimmed to a dwarf colorful specimen or hedge. (Hedge grade page 43) 15 to 18 in. plants \$1.25 each.



(5398) FRENCH PINK PUSSY WIL-LOW. Large 1 to 2 inch silverypink catkins unfold early in Spring. This improved strain grows to a novel, attractive 10 ft. shrub that's ideal for screen hedge or background. Cut branches in February for indoor bouquets. 2-3 ft. plants \$1.25 each (3 for \$3.45) postpaid.



(5311) VARIEGATED DOGWOOD (L) A tall, decorative shrub all year 'round! Leaves are rich green, striped and bordered in white to contrast with other foliage in your shrub border. In winter, branches are attractive coral red — for a bright spot of color in the yard! Grows 8 to 10 ft. tall, hardy everywhere. 18-24 in. plants, \$1.55 each (3 for \$4.35), postpaid.

## FRENCH LILACS

common Lilac. Gorgeous in coloring, very free-flowering, delightful fragrance.

(5482) PRESIDENT LINCOLN LILAC. Single, clear blue. A real, rich Wedgwood blue color has finally been attained, and President Lincoln makes a spectacular showing everywhere.

(5484) MADAME LEMOINE LILAC. Double, pure white, without a tinge of cream. Large, long, erect panicles like newly drifted snow. One of the most sweetly scented of all.

(5487) PAUL THERION LILAC. Very double intense claret-rose florets open from bright red, (not purple) buds. Huge red trusses, blending to rose, boast richest coloring of all lilacs!

#### CHINESE LILAC

True Rothomagensis Rich Amaranth Purple

(5319) Like old fashioned lilac but much improved. Grows 10 ft. high, makes breath-taking sight in full bloom. 18-24 in. size \$1.00 each (3 for \$2.85). 2-3 ft. size \$1.30 each (3 for \$3.60), prepaid.

(5489) LUCIE BALTET LILAC, Single rose-pink. A rare and gorgeous coppery old rose, en-tirely unlike any other lilac in color. A won-derful, distinctly new variety!

LILAC PRICES: 12-18 in. plants \$1.25 each. 18-24 in. plants \$1.55 each, ppd.

## FRENCH LILACS

1 Paul Thirion (dark red) 12-18 in. size

1 Mme. Lemoine (white)

1 Pres. Lincoln (blue)

1 Lucie Baltet (rose-pink)

(5481) Same Collection 18-24 in. size





## NOVEL and COLORFUL LAWN TREES

(5735) SUNBURST LOCUST — Looks like a flowering tree all summer! Bright golden yellow foliage at end of branches, contrasts gorgeously with deep green inner foliage. Hardy, colorful, seedless, thornless, patented. 4 to 5 ft. not branched, \$5.25 each, ppd.

(5715) MOUNTAIN ASH, EUROPEAN — Very showy lawn tree with its white flowers followed by large clusters of bright orange berries, in autumn. Beautiful dark green foliage. 6 to 8 ft. trees, \$5.35 each by prepaid express.

(5736)COLORFUL LAWN TREE OFFER

COLORFUL TREES:50 1 - Sunburst Locust 4-5' 1 - European Mt. Ash 6-8' Ppd.





Weigela Cardinal Shrub

(5334) WEIGELA CARDINAL SHRUB (Vanicek) Immense quantities of sparkling ruby-red trumpets an inch across cover the 5-6 ft, shrubs in May and June. Cutting bouquets promotes bloom. Hardy at St. Paul. 18-24 in. plants \$1.65 each (3 for \$4.65),

(5401) ROSE TREE OF CHINA (Prunus Triloba). L. Dazzling, double pink rose-like flowers completely cover the long graceful branches. Blooms in early May. Use as a lawn specimen or in the shrub border. Grows 6-7 feet tall. 2-3 ft. plants, \$1.75 each (3 for \$4.95), postpaid.

(5342) BURNING BUSH (Dwarf Winged Euonymous) Changes color with changing seasons! Perky yellow flowers in spring, decorative red berries all summer; brilliant coppery-crimson foliage tinged with rose in fall, novel cork-like bark all winter! Grows 4-5 ft. tall, hardy everywhere. 18 to 24 in. plants \$2.45 each (3 for \$6.90), ppd.

(5420) RED-LEAVED BARBERRY. Dwarf 3 to 4 ft. bushy shrubs with rich bronze red leaves that hold their color all summer. A bright contrast to other shrubs. Plant in full sun for best leaf color. 18-24 in. plants \$1.25 each, (3 for \$3.45), prepaid.

(5414) NEW SUMMER GLOW TAMARIX. A new and better everblooming variety. Delicate winered flowers all summer long, — give charming lacy loveliness to the feathery, silvery blue foliage! Hardy, - thrives in any soil, sun or shade, grows 10 ft. tall, but can be trimmed to any height. 18-24









Rose Tree of China



Red-Leaved Barberry



New Everblooming Tamarix



Beauty Bush



Purple Leaf Plum

shade. 4 to 5 ft. trees (not branched): \$4.00 each, 2 for \$7.50, ppd.



(5805) HARD OR SUGAR MAPLE — The very finest in stately beauty and permanence for lawn and boulevard. Gorgeous foliage, especially in autumn when leaves turn to clear yellow and scarlet. 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$5.95 each by prepaid express.

HARLEQUIN MAPLE (Page 38)
CRIMSON KING MAPLE (Page 46)



(5815) WISCONSIN WEEPING WILLOW—These very graceful, weeping trees have lovely long slender silver lined leaves on drooping branches which sweep to the ground. Beautiful green bark. A fast grower that's very hardy. 5 to 6 ft. trees \$2.40 each, 6 to 8 ft. trees, \$3.65 each by prepaid express.



(5802) BROADLEAF HYBRID ELM — This Hybrid cross between American and Chinese Elms grows so rapidly, you'll have a big tree in only 5 years! Yet it's long-lived, doesn't break up in strong wind and it's immune to phloem necrosis, the virus elm disease that's killing American Elms. Extremely hardy. 4 to 5 ft. trees, \$3.45 each by prepaid express.

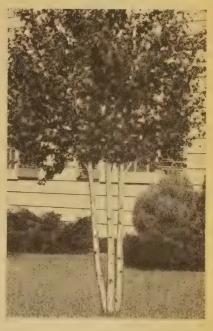




(5808) PIN OAK — Fastest growing hardwood, and one of the most enduring. Symmetrical pyramidal form. The shiny rich green foliage is deeply cut, and colors to gorgeous coppery red in fall. A hardy, rugged, reasonably fast grower in all locations. 5 to 6 ft. trees \$5.75 each by express ppd.



(5816) BASSWOOD (AMERICAN LINDEN) This stately tree with broad heart-shaped leaves makes dense shade in just a few years. It becomes a big straight, shapely tree very quickly. Perfectly hardy and long lived. 5 to 6 ft. trees \$4.25 each, 2 for \$8.00 by prepaid Express.



(5803) CUT-LEAF WEEPING BIRCH — A graceful, white-barked tree of weeping habit. Tall and slender, with branches bending to the ground. Delicately-cut leaves. 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$5.65 each, 6 to 8 ft. trees,

\$6.85 each by prepaid express.

(5804) LOMBARDY POP-

LAR — Forms a tall, slim, symmetrical column, tapering to a pointed top. Ideal for landscape effect and screen planting — a rapid grower. Relieves straight lines, adds character to plantings. 5 to 6 ft. trees, \$1.55 each, 6 to 8 ft. trees,



Lombardy Poplar

SEE THE FINEST

\$2.15 each, by prepaid

FLOWERING CRABS

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(5814) MORAINE LOCUST — Grows on any soil, survives drought, grows fast, provides shade quickly. It's hardy for southern half of Minnesota and it's long-lived. Enough sun filters through fine foliage to permit good lawn growth. Does not drop seed pods! 5 to 6 ft. trees (not branched) \$6.35 each by express prepaid.

(5827) CLUMP OF WHITE BIRCH — For that natural look, grow an artistic clump of these graceful, paperwhite birches! They grow more beautiful every year. Bark turns white as they age, foliage turns yellow in fall! Plant these 4 seedling trees in one hole for this informal effect. 18 to 24 in. trees, 4 for \$1.75, prepaid.

(5823) FAASEN'S NEW RED MAPLE—Beautiful new hard maple featuring maroon-red foliage from spring thru fall. Well formed, broad head, slowly attains 50 ft.-height. Provides dense shade for lawn or patio. 3 to 4 ft. whips \$2.75 each, 2 for \$4.95 postpaid.

NEW ! HARLEQUIN MAPLE

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Mt. Ash
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Faassen's Red Maple

## BABY EVERGREEN PLANTS Are Sent by MAIL!



## Evergreen Windbreak Bargains!

Seedling evergreens should be set in the garden and given special care including partial or slatted shade and ample watering for two years before resetting into permanent windbreak. PRICES ALL PREPAID

(7114) AMERICAN ARBOR VITAE 6 to 10 inch seedlings\$2.20	\$4,30	\$13.65
(7102) AUSTRIAN PINE	*	*******
6 to 10 inch seedlings. 2.20 (7103) COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE	4.30	13.65
6 to 10 inch seedlings	6,25	22.00
(7107) DOUGLAS FIR 6 to 10 inch seedlings	5.30	17.90
(7100) WHITE SPRUCE 6 to 10 inch seedlings	5,30	17.90
(7104) NORWAY SPRUCE 6 to 10 inch seedlings	4.65	16.15
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White Spruce makes a super hardy windbreak that's fast growing, yet long lived! Almost as quick growing as Norway Spruce, but more permanent.

## **Fast-Growing Windbreak Trees**

Plant two to five rows for most effective protection. Plant six feet apart in rows eight feet apart. Cultivate first two years.

PRICES ALL PREPAID	SIZE	PER 25	PER 100
(5607) GREEN ASH	18-24 in.	\$2.35	\$ 7.25
(5603) AMERICAN ELM	2-3 ft.	2.75	8.75
(5600) CHINESE ELM	12-18 in. 18-24 in. 2-3 ft.	1.75 2.25 2.95	5.25 6.95 9.00
(5606) SOFT MAPLE	1,2-18 in.	2.65	7.95
(5621) NORWAY POPLAR	2-3 ft.	4.50	15.00
(5618) RUSSIAN OLIVE	12-18 in. 18-24 in.	3.00 3.75	9.75 12.00
(5617) BLACK WALNUT	8-24 in.	5.75	20.00
(5622) RUSSIAN GOLDEN WILLOW	2-3 ft.	4.25	14.00
(5623) LAUREL LEAF WILLOW	2-3 ft.	4.50	15.00



LAUREL LEAF WILLOW shown above makes a wonderful snow-catch for your shelter-belt. Hardy, fast-growing, low branching, heavy foliage, grows 10-15 ft. high, thrives in most soils but prefers moist soil. Shiny dark green leaves glisten in sun as if wet with rain. Compels attention for miles around!

Kind and Size (All Postpaid)



### For a Better Lawn, Sow Minnesota's Famous **New PARK Bluegrass**

You've read of this wonderful new lawn and turf grass developed at U. of Minn. especially for Midwest lawns where Merion Bluegrass rusts so badly. New PARK not only resists rust, but it's much more vigorous than Merion, it's quicker and easier to establish, competes better with weeds and nakes durable turf sooner! Here's the ideal grass for our rugged. the ideal grass for our rugged climate. Sow I lb. to 300 square feet. State Certified Blue Tag Seed: Lb. \$1.95, 3 lbs. \$5.65, postpaid. (Not postpaid: 10 lbs. or more at \$1.65 per lb.)

## You too Can Have a Velvety Lawn—Sow Faribo Lawn Seed!

All of our high quality lawn grass mixtures are "CHEM-COAT" treated with the new miracle fungicide which produces quicker results and 40% better stand. Don't waste time and money on cheap mixtures which include annual or pasture grasses, inert matter, and weeds. Watch the analysis on the package — it's your best guide to quality.

HOW MUCH SEED TO USE					
Plot 20 50	Square Feet 200 1,000	Quantity of Seed 1 lb. 5 lbs.	Size of Plot 50 x 100 200 x 200	Square Feet 5,000 40,000	Quantity of Seed 25 lbs. 100 to
C 100	2,000	10 lbs.	(One Acre) use half of at	ove guan	125 lbs.

## GARDEN CITY LAWN SEED

(Contains Merion Blue Grass)

Popular quality mixture for general use. Contains choicest grasses that root deeply and withstand severe drought. Contains: Kentucky Blue Grass—Merion Blue Grass, Red Top, Creeping Red Fescue, Rye Grass. Price, 1 lb. \$1.20, 3 lbs. \$3.10, prepaid. Not prepaid, 10 lbs. or more, at 90c per lb.

#### KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS

Deep-rooted perennial that stands hard wear, drought and freezing. Takes up to 30 days to germinate, but once established, makes thick, durable turf that discourages weeds Thrives in severe climates. I lb \$1.15, 3 lbs. \$2.95, postpaid. Not prepaid, 10 lbs. or more at 85c per lb.

#### HYLAND PARK LAWN SEED

A mixture of finest quick growing and permanent grasses that  $95^{\mbox{\scriptsize c}}_{\mbox{\scriptsize PPD}}^{\mbox{\tiny LB}}$ 

will establish a luxurious lawn in 30 to 40 days under
normal conditions. Contains Kentucky Blue Grass—Red Top—Creeping Red Fescue—Rye Grass and
White Dutch Clover. Price: 1 lb. White Dutch Clover. Price: 1 lb. 95c, 3 lbs. \$2.35, prepaid. Not prepaid, 10 lbs. or more, at 65c per lb.

#### MERION KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS

Merion makes denser foliage closer to the ground and tolerates closer mowing than ordinary Kentucky Bluegrass. In eastern U.S., it's also requiring less seed. I lb. (for 300 sq. ft.) \$2.15, 3 lbs. \$6.00, postpaid. I lb. (for 300 Not ppd. 10 lbs. at \$1.80 per lb.

#### SHADY NOOK LAWN SEED

For Those Shady Spots Where Grass Won't Grow!

that Hardy arasses thrive in shady places \$1.30 LB

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—ideal for patching up
lawns, filling in barren
places under trees, and on north
side of house. Price: 1 lb. \$1.30. 3
lbs. \$3.40, prepaid. Not prepaid,
10 lbs. or more, at \$1.00 per lb.

#### HIGHLAND BENT GRASS

Makes thick, durable but velvety turf adapted to close cutting. Once established grows more luxuriant each year. Germinates in 35 days, prefers moderately heavy soils, full sun. Pound plants 500 sq. ft. 1 lb. 85c, 3 lbs. \$2.40, postpaid. Not prepaid, 10 lbs. or more at 65c per lb.

#### WHITE DUTCH CLOVER

White blossom lawn clover helps grass become established. It grows quickly to protect young grass. It produces nitrogen in the soil to provide plant food for grasses, and attractive white blossoms in your deep green lawn! 1 lb. for average city lot. 1/2 lb. 75c, 1 lb. \$1.10, 3 lbs. \$2.80, postpaid.

#### CREEPING RED FESCUE

A fine bladed, deep green durable permanent grass. Thrives in shade, or full sun, heavy or light, dry soils, severe heat or cold, requires less moisture than others to remain green all summer. 1 lb. 75c. 3 lbs. \$2.20. postpaid. Not prepaid. 10 lbs. or more at 60c per lb.

## **EVERGREEN Door Way Offer**

Complete doorway planting

2 SILVER JUNIPERS 12"-15" Transplants.

2 PFITZER JUNIPERS 12" - 15" Trans-

2 MUGHO PINE 9" - 12" - Transplants.

6 EVERGREENS (described on page 48)

ONLY \$9.95 postpaid





#### ROSS ROOT IRRIGATOR AND FEEDER

Puts plant food and water right at the roots. Saves valuable trees, shrubs, roses, evergreens, etc. A must for evergreens just before freeze-up. Simply drop plant food capsule in chamber, attach to garden hose, insert rod into soil. Feeds and waters, spring, summer and fall. Complete Root Irrigator with 1 doz. nutrient capsules, only \$6.85 postpaid. Extra nutrient capsules (concentrated 8-16-8 formula): box of 12 for \$1.00 postpaid.



#### HIDDEN ROPE KEEPS **ANIMALS AWAY** FROM YOUR PLANTS

Dogs, cats, rabbits are kept away by chemically treated Re-pel-O-Rope when inconspicu-ously circled thru foliage of ever-greens, flower beds, vegetable plots. Animals shun its long last-

ing odor. Can contains 110 ft. \$1.75 ppd.

## KILLER KANE 2,4-D TABLETS

Just drop one of these big green tablets into your Killer Kane, add water, and you're ready to go! It mixes itself — active elements in tablet cause it to "fizz" (like a seltzer tablet) releasing 2,4-D in solution of proper strength.

Vial of 12 Killer Kane Tablets, 60c ppd.

SPECIAL: Killer Kane PLUS 12 Tablets, \$2.25 ppd.





place point on weed Just place point on weed . . . press lightly . . release , . and measured dose of spray (2,4-D or other weed killer) drenches weed. Can be used close to flowers, shrubs without danger. One fill 1,000 weeds. Made of durable plastic and Lasts for years. Only \$1.79 ppd. (see tablets)



Choice PEONY

most popular white Peony, bearing season). A well-known variety of graceful, large flowers composed of round, snow white sepals surrounded by a crown of broad guard petals. Each, 98c, postpaid.

Very luxurious dark crimson well formed flowers with de-\$2.19, postpaid.

FESTIVA MAXIMA—(Tall, Early) The KARL ROSENFIELD — (Tall, Midoutstanding brilliance bearing magnificent large semi-rose type flowers of richest velvety crimson. A popular favorite. Each. \$1.19, postpaid.

PHILIP RIVOIRE—(Tall, Early) SARAH BERNHARDT — (Tall, Late). An exquisite, graceful semi-rose-type bloom of bright apple-blossom pink lightful velvety black sheen and with attractive silver tipped petals rich rose fragrance. Never and pleasing, elusive fragrance. shows yellow stamens. Each, Each, \$1.19, postpaid.

It's easy to grow gorgeous peonies from our strong 3 to 5 eye divisions and they'll last a life-time!

TRI-COLOR GIANT PEONY OFFER

CHOICE PEONY ROOTS

1 Gorgeous Red 1 Delicate Pink
1 Lovely White
OUR SELECTION

ppd.

KARL ROSENFIELD Brilliant, velvety crimson peony

FOR UTMOST COLOR RANGE

## Most Showy of all Plants! They're so Easy to Grow and Like Full Sun.

ARGUS PHEASANT. A very smooth glowing WINTER CARNIVAL. Large, flaring, pure golden brown with broad petals and flowing form. Dykes Medal winner! 98c each, 3 for

**AZURE SKIES.** Beautiful pale lavender blue with attractive white beard. Gently ruffled. Unmatched in color and form. **69c each, 3** for \$1.70 ppd.

CASA MORENA. Gorgeous deep rich coppery brown. Huge flowers of grand substance and solid self. 98c each, 3 for \$2.25 ppd.

CHERIE. Beautiful flamingo pink with tangerine beard. Perfect in form. Large ruffled blooms. 98c each, 3 for \$2.25 ppd.

CLOTH OF GOLD. A bright, deep yellow with flowing falls and orange beard. Tall, stately, of heavy substance. 59c each, 3 for \$1.40 ppd.

BLUE SHIMMER. A plicata of white dappled with clear blue. Large, free blooming flowers on strong stems. 69c each, 3 for \$1.70 ppd.

**NEW SNOW.** White as new fallen snow with a bright yellow beard. Ruffled, no venations. 69c each, 3 for \$1.70 ppd.

ELMOHR. Immense, beautifully formed flowers of rich red-violet to purple. Free blooming on tall stately stems. 98c each, 3 for \$2.25 ppd.

FIRECRACKER. A glowing deep burgundy red plicata with striking yellow trim. A stand-out in your garden! 98c each, 3 for \$2.25 ppd.

BRYCE CANYON. Huge henna-copper self. Exceptionally good form and substance. Excellent quality. 69c each. 3 for \$1.70 ppd.

LADY MOHR. Huge oyster white, slightly fluted standards, enhanced by distinctive falls of refreshing chartreuse! 89c each, 3 for \$1.98 ppd.

MELODY LANE. A bright, glistening golden apricot. Flowers are large, and ruffled, with deep tangerine beard. 98c each. 3 for \$2.25 ppd.

snow white flowers with an attractive gold throat. Good performer. 69c each, 3 for \$1.70

OLA KALA. One of the highest rated deep yellows. Pleasantly ruffled, solidly colored, extremely hardy. Dykes Medal winner. 69c each, 3 for \$1.70 ppd.

PINK CAMEO. One of the finest pure pinks, with melting softness of color and finish. Complete absence other coloring. 69c each, 3 for \$1.70 ppd.

RANGER. Dark but brilliant almost true crimson red! A splendid, vigorous bloomer, a beacon in the garden! 98c each, 3 for \$2.25 ppd.

ROCKET. Outstanding and different! A most brilliant orange iris of heavy substance and wide flaring petals. 59c each, 3 for \$1.40 ppd.

SABLE. Almost black, a uniform shade of deepest blue-black-violet with a blue beard. Magnificent! 69c each, 3 for \$1.70 ppd.

SOLID MAHOGANY. One of the darkest mahogany reds of all. Immense flowers of good substance, they're spectacular! 98c each, 3 for \$2.25 ppd.

SPANISH PEAKS. A beautifully finished pure white, that's all white, even to the beard! 89c each, 3 for \$1.98 ppd.

BLUE RHYTHM. A very highly rated silvery toned blue. An excellent performer 69c each, 3 for \$1.70 ppd.

WABASH. A showy bi-color with clear white standards and rich pansy-purple falls trimmed with white border. 69c each, 3 for \$1.70 ppd.

## RainbowIRISGARDEN 10 ROOTS:

2 CLOTH OF GOLD (yellow)

RANGER (red)

PINK CAMEO (pink) ALL 10 for

SABLE (blue)

2 WABASH (bi-color)

(A Regular \$7.25 value)

#### IRIS shipped in JULY & AUGUST

There's no advantage in spring planting of Iris since they won't bloom until next year. Late July and Aug. planting is best for Iris, so order now for best selection and we'll ship later in summer. WE PAY THE POSTAGE.



Hardy Cushion 'Mums

BUSHELS of BLOOMS For Autumn Garden Glory!

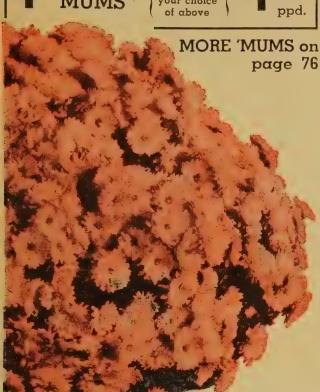
Imagine a perennial that provides hundreds of gorgeous blooms and makes YOUR garden a blaze of glorious color in fall, when neighboring gardens are drab. You'll pick bouquet after bouquet, and still the plants look like solid mounds of striking color in the autumn scene. These cushions bloom early September 'til frost.

RED, PINK, YELLOW and PURPLE CUSHIONS:

ANY OF ABOVE: 2 for \$1.10 postpaid

**CUSHION** 

1 of each above or your choice





## MINNESOTA 'MUMS Bloom Early

PRINCESS — New carnation-flowered cushion 'Mum from U. of Minn. Two-tone double blooms of luxurious old rose petals split at ends! Grows 18 in. tall, blooms early August! Plant from 21/4" pot, 75c

MINNEHAHA - New U. of Minn. cut-flower 'Mum. Hundreds of big  $2^{1}/_{2}$  in. extra-double rose tinted blooms, hide the bushy 20 inch plants by mid-Sept. Plant from 21/4" pot, 75c ppd.

Your Choice of Minnesota MUMS: ANY 4 for \$2.50 ANY 6 for \$3.50 **Postpaid** 

MINNBRONZE - Solid, compact 10" mounds of 11/2" vivid bronze blooms that hide foliage mid-Sept. to frost. Plant, 75c ppd.

MINNPINK - Extra dwarf 12" mounds of 2" rose-pink flowers mid-August to frost! Earliest cushion 'mum. Plant, 75c ppd.

GOLDEN FANTASY - Minnesota's famous fringed 'Mum. Shaggy golden blooms on 18" plants, early Sept. Good cut flower. Plant, 75c ppd.

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#### NEWEST U. of MINN. 'MUM RELEASES

TONKA—Big 3½" very double deep yellow flowers on 20" plants early Sept. 'til frost. Each 75c ppd.

PRAIRIE MOON—Huge double 4" creamy white flowers on 30" plants early Sept. 'til frost. Each 75c ppd.

Princess 'Mum

## MINIATURE FAIRY ROSES

#### Novel House and Garden Plants CHOICE OF:

The smallest roses in the world! Lovely buds, blooms and foliage like hybrid tea roses except in size. These grow 8 to 12 inches tall, but are just as hardy and free blooming all summer in \$1.10 the garden, as hybrid teas. As a winter house plant they'll bloom for weeks in a sunny window. 21/4" pot plants, \$1.10 each. 3 for \$2.95

Red, Yellow, Each 3 for \$2.95



## DAYLILIES (HERMEROCALLIS)

A choice selection of NEW HYBRIDS that would sell at several times this bargain price if we offered by name. Because we list by color only, we're permitted to price them near common varieties! One is brilliant deep orange, one soft canary yellow, another gorgeous deep red and a soft rich pink. Heavy 2 yr. roots: (1 of each or your choice) 4 for \$2.45, postpaid.



## NORTHERN GROWN PERENNIAL PLANTS

Order Now — we ship at planting time.

## PINK DELPHINIUM ASTOLAT

**2345 ASTOLAT.** Big flowers in varying shades of blush pink, true pink, and mulberry pink, all with dark bees. Big florets in big spikes on tall, strong whippy stems like other Pacific Giants.

2346 WHITE DELPHINIUM PERCIVAL — A prize Pacific Giant with big glistening white florets and black bees.

YOUR CHOICE of above: 49c each, 3 for 98c, 6 for \$1.70, ppd. MORE PACIFIC GIANT DELPHINIUM on page 74.

### SEDUM BRILLIANT

2350 (SPECTABILIS BRILLIANT). Here's sure-fire color for your garden! Immense, gorgeous, amaranth-red flower-heads are borne on erect 18 in. plants, even in the hottest, driest summers. Novel, thick, succulent leaves store up moisture like a cactus. Each, 49c, 3 for 98c, 6 for \$1.70, ppd.



Shasta Daisy, Conqueror

### SHASTA DAISIES

Unexcelled for generous bloom and beautiful long stemmed cut flowers.

2440 DOUBLE FRILLS. Beautifully frilled white flowers often 4 in. across. Each 49c, 3 for 98c, 6 for \$1.70, ppd.

2441 CONQUEROR. Huge 4 to 5 in. snow white blooms with yellow centers all summer.

Each 49c, 3 for 98c, 6 for \$1.70, ppd.

## Old Fashianed BLEEDING

HEARTS

Everyone loves this familiar old favorite with dainty pink hearts hanging from gracefully arched branches. Grows in part shade or full sun. Blooms May and June. Very hardy. Heavy field plants. 85c each, 3 for

### LYTHRUM

An easy-to-grow perennial that thrives even in poor soils and is hardy for coldest climates. Beautiful glossy deep green foliage accented by abundant colorful spikes of bright cheerful blooms, makes perfect background for perennial border.

MORDEN GLEAM LYTHRUM: Flowers are bright carmine and nearest to red of any Lythrum. Grows 3 to 4

NEW ROBERT DWARF LYTHRUM: Grows only 18 inches tall making compact, tidy clumps. Sparkling spikes of bloom of clear fuschia pink with reddish glow.

Your choice: Field Grown Transplants: 65c each, 3 for \$1.45, ppd.



#### JUNE FLOWERING ASTERS

ALPINE ASTER. Delightful bright blue daisy-like flowers, perfect for bedding, borders or rock gardens, bloom profusely on 9" stems in May and June. Wonderful for cutting, thrive in any soil. Each 49c, 3 for 98c, 6 for \$1.70 ppd.



Sedum Brilliant



Old Fashioned Bleeding Hearts



Extra Hardy Lythrum



ACHILLEA

2380 ANGELS BREATH. Hundreds of clusters of small, double white pompon chrysanthemum-like flowers, form a snow white inverted bowl 20 inches high, 2 ft. across from June to Sept. Each 49c, 3 for 98c, 6 for \$1.70 ppd.



Pink Delphinium Astolat

## NEW for your GARDEN!

No. Dakota's Super Hardy **CARNATIONS** 

bear lots of Extremely Long-Lasting cut flowers and bedding bloom thru July, August, September

### 2335. NORTH DAKOTA'S HARDY CARNATIONS

Three remarkable new extra hardy carnations from a far north Experiment Station, bloom profusely June till frost on stiff, upright 10" stems, wonderful for bedding and cutting! Very long-lasting 134" double flowers of spicy fragrance. ALLEGRO: deep dubonnet-rose, CAPRICE: salmon pink, ANDANTE: immaculate white. Your choice of above, potted plants: 75c each, 3 for \$1.50 ppd.



## CHOICE TWO-YEAR FIELD GROWN PLANTS

Now grow Phlox you'll be proud of. Here are the improved varieties you've read about! They boast brilliant new sun-proof colors, big, clean florets and huge, gargeous flower-heads! Plant our vigorous 2-year field grown plants — they're better — they're guaranteed to grow!

Sir John Falstaff **SIR JOHN FALSTAFF** — (Tall) Huge florets and extra large flower heads of brilliant salmon-pink. Robust, vigorous grower.

BRIGADIER — (Tall) Large flower heads of unusual pleasing carmine-red with claret-pink shading. The eye is small, clear red. Excellent.

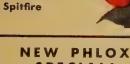
PRIME MINISTER — (tall) A bright crimson eye is centered in these pure white king-size flowers, borne in big clusters. Developed in England.

**PURPLE HEART** — (Medium) Large florets in a lively shade of rich blue-purple, highlighted by cream-colored anthers.

**BLUE BOY** — (Medium) Nearest-to-blue of any phlox. This prominent bold blue color really stands out among reds and pinks.

**SPITFIRE** — (Medium) Dazzling orange-scarlet that will be highlighted like a bonfire in your garden! It's really good.

Your choice — 3 Plants \$1.25 ppd.



SPECIAL!

6 PLANTS \$1.98
1 each of above

## Pink Hamingo

## BABY'S BREATH

This new DOUBLE PINK Baby's Breath creates a sensation! Great airy spray of all double pink flowers bloom all summer long. Unequalled for flower arrangements and most picturesque in the flower border. Field grown plants: \$1.25 each, 3 for \$2.85, ppd.

SNOW FLAKE. Clouds of small pure white blooms on 24 in. plants. Each 49c, 3 for 98c, 6 for \$1.70, ppd.

### **GARDEN CARNATIONS**

Spicy scented flowers that everyone loves for table decorations. Blooms from early summer until fall. 2330 Double Red. 2331 Double Yellow. Each 49c, 3 for 98c, 6 for \$1.70, ppd.

## **HYBRID PENSTEMON**

2460. SEEBA HYBRID. Instead of all red trumpets as in ordinary Penstemon at left, this rare new hybrid boasts colors ranging from snow white through pink and lavender to deep rose, all of which blend gorgeously in long-lasting bouquets. Grows 3-4 ft. tall with 20-inch flower spike loaded with 2-inch trumpets for weeks. Completely be loaded

for weeks. Completely hardy.

2461. BARBATUS (Red Penstemon pictured) Your
Choice: Each 49c, 3 for 98c, 6 for \$1.70 ppd.

## McKANA'S Giant Hybrid COLUMBINE

All America Winner! Grow giant 4" hybrid blooms with tremendous 4"-5" spurs, this very summer! Exquisite shades of red, rose, pink, yellow, cream, white, lavender, purple, blue. Hardy, will live for years. Mixed colors only. Each 49c, 3 for 98c, 6 for \$1.70, ppd.





Penstemon



## SELECTED NATIVE NORTHERN WILD FLOWER PLANTS



Jack-in-the-Pulpit likes shade



Dutchman's Breeches



Shooting Star blooms in May

JACK-IN-THE-PULPIT (Arisaema Triphyllum) 6-12 inches. Novel brownish purple flowers in May, followed by brilliant red berries. Prefers slightly acid leaf mold, shade.

SHOOTING STAR (Dodecatheon Media) 10-12 in. One of our most beautiful! White or pink blooms in May. Prefers open, well drained, but not poor soil.

DUTCHMAN'S BREECHES (Dicentra Calcularia) 5 inches. Novel white flowers early in spring. Plant tiny bulbs shallow in rich leaf mold. Pre-fers shade.

YOUR CHOICE: Any 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75, postpaid.



Pasqueflower first to bloom

PASQUEFLOWER (Anemone) Lavender tulip-shaped flowers close to ground before last snow banks melt, followed by silky plumes on 10 in. stems. Sandy soil, sun.

BLOODROOT (Saguinaria Canadensis) These lovely white flowers, like the first robins, appear surprisingly early in our Northland spring.

SHOWY TRILLIUM (Grandiflora) Beautiful white flowers, sometimes changing to pink, appear in May. Prefers rich leaf mold and light shade.



Bloodroot herald of Spring



Showy Trillium in May

## **EXCITING** GARDEN LILIES

Bloom Year After Year June Thru September

THESE 2 FAVORITES ARE NOT HARDY BUT CAN BE DUG FOR WINTER STORAGE



#### CALLA LILIES

Plant them in groups in foreground of perenmial garden for beautiful trumpet flowers and mottled foliage. Top size bulbs of: GOLDEN CALLA, WHITE CALLA, PINK CALLA, YOUR CHOICE of above: 50c Each, 3 for \$1.45. Ppd.



### TUBEROSES

Pure white, wax-like flowers, on 18 in. spikes. Wonderful for cutting. The rich exotic fragrance perfumes the entire garden. Plant in groups of 3 or 5 among other garden flowers. Extra Choice Bulbs: 3 for 65c 6 for 1.20,



Giant Olympic Hybrid Lilies

## GIANT OLYMPIC HYBRID LILY

America's finest hardy garden Lily! Huge 7 to 9 inch trumpets in clusters atop 5 ft. stems. Color varies from ivory white with golden throat thru cool icy green, to soft pink. Seldom two blooms alike, for several weeks in July. Very hardy. Large bulbs, 55c each, 3 for \$1.45, postpaid.



## GOLDEN CLARION TRUMPET LILY

(Finest aurelian hybrid). In form, resembles Regal Lily, but trumpets are larger, and color ranges from clear lemon yellow, thru buttercup-yellow, to deepest gold! Some trumpets show distinct wine-red stripes on reverse of petals. Bloom in July. Large bulbs, \$1.25 each, 3 for \$3.35, postpaid.

### CREEK WALT'S REGAL LILY

Creelman's Regal is hardy everywhere. Large, fragrant, snow-white, trumpet blooms (ingod pink, with golden throat! Sure to bloom Giant bulbs, each 50c, 3 [32 \$1.60, 6 for \$1.85, postpaid.

## RED BANDED RUBRUM LILY

Showiest of all hardy garden lilies with bright pink flowers edged white and generously spattered with maroon red spots! Waxy, reflexed, 4 to 5 inch flowers on strong 3 to 4 ft. stems, in late August and early Sept. Fine for cutting. Large bulbs, 60c each, 3 for \$1.65, postpaid.





YOUR CHOICE: 50c each, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$1.95, postpaid

These breath-taking massive flowers are easy to grow from our husky root divisions. Directions included. Plant when soil is warm. We ship at planting time.

CITY OF HAARLEM (F.D.) Big, beautiful blood red blooms on good cutting stems. Early, profuse bloomer.

COMMANDO—(F.D.) A clear shade of deep lavender or Phlox-purple. Flowers, 8 inches across, on 4-ft.

MRS. GEO. LE BOUTILLIER - (I.D.) Rich, velvety carmine-red. A giant flower, outstanding in every way.

CITY OF WELLSTON (F.D.) A striking combination of royal purple overlaid with deep maroon.

100 BLOOMS ON ONE PLANT

RED CHIEF - Up to 100 blazing red

2-inch blooms completely cover these

bushy plants. Fine for cutting.

ROSE GLORY — (F.D.) Deep rosepink. A profusion of early blooms on good sturdy stems.

AVALON - (F.D.) Bright clear canary-yellow. 8-inch blooms on strong, erect stems. Ideal for cut-ting and a wonderful keeper.

GOLDEN TREASURE (F.D.) Glowing autumn colors blending to rich apricot at center. Excellent cut flower.

WHITE WONDER (I.D.) Big 5 to 8 inch snow white flowers of superb form and good substance.

LOIS WALCHER (F.D.) One of the finest bicolors! Striking pansy-purple petals, tipped white.

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#### DELUXE SHOW GARDEN DAHLIA OFFER!

**FLOWER** 

All Labeled

1 EACH **ABOVE** GIANTS

### SURPRISE DAHLIA ASSORTMENT

(Mostly giants — a few pompons)

ARISTOS — Almost 100 soft glowing pink 2-inch ball shaped blooms smother the bush 'til frost.

## **Miniatures**

WONDERFUL CUT FLOWER

BONNIE BLUE — Abundant gorgeous 4-inch long-stemmed cut flowers of lovely lavender-blue all season long.

McCULLOUGH - Brilliant combination of red and yellow. Tremendous producer of 5-inch blooms, fine for

## Giant CANNAS

#### DO BEST IN FULL SUN AND RICH SOIL - CAN BE DUG FOR WINTER STORAGE

THE PRESIDENT — Bright, glowing scarlet, 7-inch flowers all season on 4-ft. plants with green foliage.

**RED KING HUMBERT** — Huge orange-scarlet flowers on 4½-ft. plants with striking purple-coppery-bronze foliage.

YELLOW KING HUMBERT — Immense golden yellow flowers generously flecked with red, on 41/2-ft. plants of green foliage.

RICHARD WALLACE — Big, glistening, clear yellow flowers until frost, on 4-ft. plants with green foliage.

HUNGARIA — Enormous trusses of rich, deep rose-pink broadpetaled flowers on 3½-ft. plants with bluish-green leaves.

CITY OF PORTLAND — Beautiful, big, bright pink flowers on 31/2-ft. plants with green foliage.

WYOMING — Rich orange flowers with recurved petals on tremendous 6-ft. plants with showy bronze foliage.

ROSAMOND COLE — Mammoth 2-tone flowers with bright red throat surrounded by broad gold edge that's flecked with red, green foliage. 3 ft.

Price, any of the above dormant roots, 5 for \$1.00, 10 for \$1.85, 25 for \$3.65, ppd.

#### GIANT CANNA BED OFFER

CANNAS to plant a 7-ft. round bed. \$9.95 1 Wyoming in center of bed,

6 Yel. King Humbert in 1st. row,

12 The President in 2nd. row.

(Plant 18 in. apart)

BALL & DAHLIA

\$1 each of \$1 above



ppd.

## America's Best GLADS Selected by Experts

### Eight ARISTOCRATS

PALETTE — The unusual color combination makes this a standout — bright red with a blue throat. Novel and very attractive. 3 for 30c; 6 for 50c; 12 for 85c.

GATINEAU — Sparkling, lively orange color makes this Glad a garden favorite. A tall, stately grower. Elegant in the garden and in floral arrangements. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12

LEIF ERICKSON —A ruffled, creamy white of captivating beauty. Opens 7 to 9 large, heavy-substanced florets on tall, graceful heads. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

GOLD — Giant spikes of rich golden-yellow flowers, attractively ruffled. Exceptionally vigorous and healthy, with strong straight stems. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

LADY JANE - Creamy white, with yellow lip petals, and a slight touch of ruffling. Highly recommended for exhibition and cutting. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

SANS SOUCI — This vibrant, glowing scarlet makes a grand color display. Opens 8 rounded florets on a magnicent 22-bud spike. 3 for 30c. 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

UHU — An eye-catching Glad that is sure to be popular. This dusty-brown smoky has an undertone of red. Opens 7 or more large florets at  $\alpha$  time on tall, perfectly straight stalks. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

VALERIA - Opens 7 to 10 florets of a light shade of scarlet with cream lined throat. Plant is tall and blooms early. An excellent cut flower and a very fine all around variety. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

**ARISTOCRATS** 

\$165 ppd. (3 each of above 8 glads)

#### DELUXE TRIO

For The Glad Fan

FRIENDSHIP—Most gorgeous, early pure pink. Opens 6-7 round ruffled blooms on slender wiry spike. Excellent cut flower variety of eternal beauty. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

PACTOLUS — Most spectacular blotched variety ever introduced. Ruffled flowers of apricot-cream, with brilliant scarlet blotches. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

BOULOGNE - A beauty with silky wine-red blooms that almost duplicate the color of American Beauty Rose! Tall, straight, strong and stately. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

#### Treat Glad Bulbs with Arasan

To aid in the control of disease, place 25 or 30 glad bulbs with a level teaspoon of Arasan in a paper bag and shake well. Plant immediately. 1 oz. pkt. 60c ppd., 8 oz. can \$1.50 ppd.

### Control Thrip on Glads 1 lb. Killer Dust 75c ppd.

Before Planting - Dust bulbs lightly with Killer

During Growing Season—Dust 3 times, beginning when plants are only 5 inches high, and making the last application just as blooms are beginning to open. When a heavy Thrip infestation occurs, weekly dustings may be necessary during the growing season.

#### COLORAMA MIXED GLADS

A choice assortment as described on catalog envelope.

20 for \$1.00 50 for \$2.00 ALL POSTPAID

All Glad bulbs are Postpaid. (See also Page 75)



### A GIANT "SKYSCRAPER" GLAD:

DOLLY VARDEN—Opens 8 tremendous salmonpink florets with cream throats on giant 5 foot spikes. The champion of king-size glads! If you like big ones, try this one. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

## Seven Exhibition GLADS

RED RADIANCE — A scintillating shade of red that's in great demand by florists. Opens 7 to 9 huge 5-inch florets on towering spikes. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

SWEET SIXTEEN — The dream-girl of the Glad world—a pure-pink perfection! Opens 7 to 9 beautifully rounded florets on erect, 5-foot spikes. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

BENJAMIN BRITTON — This lavender-purple near-self produces gracefully informal spikes of good length. Color is unusual and distinctive. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

LAVENDER PRINCE - A rare shade of lavender, bordering on purple. Florets are ruffled and of good texture. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

BEAUTY'S BLUSH - Sparkling frosty white faintly blushed with cool rose-pink. Vigorous and strong growing. Perfect as a cut flower. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE—Pure white florets. blending to a creamy throat. Tall, dependable grower. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

THE RAIAH — Large vigorous reddish-purple. Round slightly ruffled florets of lustrous sheen on model spikes. A fine variety for cutting. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

21 EXHIBITION GLADS \$135 (3 each of above 7 glads)

#### Six GIANT GLADS

ELIZABETH THE QUEEN - Exquisite lavender coloring, wonderful substance and heavy ruffling combined with healthy strong growth to make up this top performer. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

SALMAN'S ELITE — A towering, giant starchy ruffled white with a warm creamy glow in throat. An early blooming beauty. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c. 12 for 85c.

GAIL — Beautiful lavender with lighter throat; 7-9 florets open in a double row on tall spikes. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

**GENE** — Heavily ruffled, beautiful light yellow Blooms very early. Grows tall and straight. It's gorgeous. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

YELLOW HERALD — Amber-yellow, carmine in throat. The large wide-open florets are well placed and spaced on strong stems. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

SUMMER QUEEN — Considered the best salmonpink today. Opens 8 large, ruffled florets of heavy substance on strong, erect stems. Good cutflower type. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

GIANT GLADS (3 each of above 6 glads)

## Nine FLOWER SHOW FAVORITES

SPIC AND SPAN — Deep rich pink, beautifully ruffled blooms. Top winner at shows. Has wonderful long stems which never crook. 3 for 30c, 6 for

SCHEHEREZADE — Creamy pink set off by a sharp strawberry blotch on lower petals. As exciting as its name! An excellent show variety. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

**DUSK** — A dusky colored Glad. The large, snowball throats provide striking contrast to the subdued old rose and salmon undertone. Strong grower. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

PROSPECTOR — Round, ruffled florets of brilliant golden yellow neatly packed on sturdy, stately spikes. A spectacular cut flower. 3 for 30c, 6 for

FIREFLY — Dainty, ruffled florets of glowing yellow, highlighted by sprightly scarlet "fireflies" deep in the heart of each floret. 3 for 30c. 6 for 50c.

RED CHARM — Early medium red of lasting merit. Very consistent bloomer. Opens 8-9 well placed blooms on tall straight stem. 3 for 30c. 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

TRAVELER — An exquisite color — light rose pink with a faint deep-rose blur in the throat. Majestic spikes carry 10-12 open blooms on a 24-bud head! 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

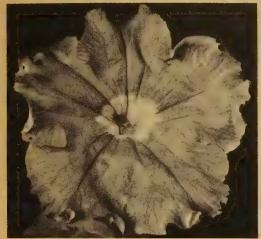
SNOW PRINCESS — Good, reliable large creamywhite with a deeper cream throat. Always dependable and in great demand for early cutting. 3 for 30c, 6 for 50c, 12 for 85c.

WHITE GOLD — Massive cream-colored blooms, blending to golden-yellow in throat. Lightly ruffled. Spectacular as a cut flower. 3 for 30c, 6

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SHOW FAVORITES \$175
(3 each of above 9 glads) (3 each of above 9 glads)

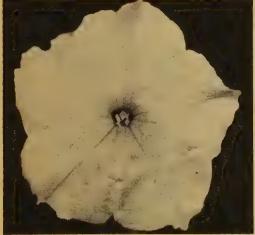
## BEDDING PLANTS of Selected ANNUAL FLOWERS!



MAESTRO — brilliant cerise red, yellow throat



Double Pink Petunia Allegro



White Paleface contrasts nicely with Red Petunias



Arrangement of Dwarf Hybrid Dahlias

These greenhouse grown transplants provide earliest blooms of the newest F1 hybrid flowers which are often difficult to grow from seed. They are mailed postpaid at any of these shipping times you specify:

Early May Early June
Mid May Mid June Late May Late Apr.

Parcel post usually provides good delivery up to 800 miles, but if you specify SPECIAL HANDLING and include 35c EXTRA for this postal service, you get best delivery.

## NEWEST F-1 HYBRID PETUNIA PLANTS

MAESTRO. Huge 31/4-inch fringed flowers of bright cerise rose red with golden throat. Dwarf hybrid grandiflora. 8 plants \$1.00, 20 plants

MERCURY — Nearest to a true blue yet developed. Not too light, not too dark. Star shaped dwarf multiflora. 8 plants \$1.00, 20 plants \$2.00, ppd.

TOREADOR—Gigantic 4½-inch slightly ruffled flowers of deep velvety crimson red on dwarf compact plants. Hybrid Grandiflora. 8 plants \$1.00, 20 plants \$2.00, ppd.

**RED SATIN.** Richest orange red yet produced.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. blooms on 12 in. compact plants. **8** plants \$1.00, 20 plants \$2.00 ppd.

GLITTERS. Intense red and white striped 2 in. blooms on very compact 10 in. plants. 8 plants. \$1.00, 20 plants \$2.00, ppd.

ALLEGRO. Fully double clear bright salmoncerise medium to large blooms on dwarf plants. 8 for \$1.00, 20 for \$2.00, ppd.

MAYTIME. Largest-flowering F-1 Hybrid. 31/2inch flowers of clear salmon-pink, with deli-cately fringed petals. Plants vigorous and compact. 8 plants \$1.00, 20 plants \$2.00, ppd.

PRIMA DONNA. 1955 All America winner with  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. ruffled flowers of clear deep rose on 12 in. plants. 8 plants \$1.00, 20 plants

COMANCHE. Large slightly ruffled deep red blooms. Vigorous upright plants 14 in. tall. All America winner. 8 plants \$1.00, 20 plants \$2.00, ppd.

PALEFACE. Pure white All America. 15 in. plants completely cover themselves with 21/2 in. blooms. 8 plants \$1.00, 20 plants \$2.00, ppd.

## SALVIA PLANTS

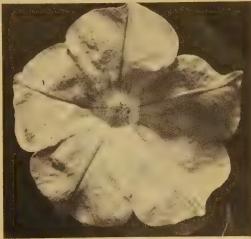
FIREWORKS. Extra-early. Dense, bright scarlet spikes, rigidly upright on 1-ft. compact plants. 10 plants \$1.00, 24 plants \$2.00, prepaid.

## ROCKET SNAPDRAGONS

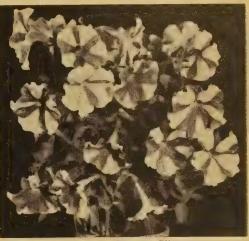
These new giant hybrid heat-tolerant Super Snaps won 1960 All America honors! A single plant grows ten or more 3 ft. spikes blooming at one time! Color picture page 73. **Originator's** mixture: 10 plants \$1.00, 24 plants \$2.00, ppd.

## DWARF RAINBOW HYBRID DAHLIA PLANTS

UNWIN HYBRIDS. Lovely blooms in 30 days! Imagine! A striking mass of brilliant blooms for 31/2 solid months — all the while providing plenty of cut flowers for your table. These colorful 2 to 5 in. blooms are fully double to semi-double and have a wide color range from vivid red, yellow, pink, purple to soft pastel tones and white. Dwarf plants grow only 18 to 24 inches - very bushy. 10 plants \$1.00, 24 plants \$2.00, ppd.



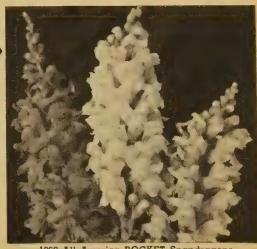
MERCURY — 1st light blue hybrid, yellow throat



All America Petunia Glitters



Salvia - New Extra-early Fireworks



1960 All America ROCKET Snapdragons

## FARIBO FLOWER SEEDS

## The World's Finest

Gorgeous Color For Your Garden Year After Year



Alyssum Snowcloth

#### ALYSSUM

The Ideal Edging

1030 ROYAL CARPET. All America Silver Medal. Plants low and spreading, 3 in. high, 10 or more in. across, fully covered with large heads of rich violet purple flowers....Pkt. 20c

1031 VIOLET QUEEN. 4 in. A bright, deep violet that does not fade in hot weather. Blooms luxuriantly from early summer to frost.......Pkt. 20c

1032 SNOWCLOTH. The dwarfest and most compact variety. Plants form a dense cluster of snow-white flowers, with the objectionable green center entirely eliminated... Pkt. 25c

#### AGERATUM

Floss Flower (Annual)

One packet each of above for 25c

#### BABY'S BREATH

Gypsophila (Perennial)

1050 PANICULATA, DOUBLE SNOW WHITE. 2-3 ft. An improved type, bearing masses of minute double white flowers. A charming plant in the garden and for cutting. Pkt. 20c

Annual Gypsophila

1051 ELEGANS GRANDIFLORA ALBA, 11/2 ft. Large-flowering pure white. Pkt. 25c

1052 ELEGANS GRANDIFLORA ROft. Beautiful rose-pink.

Pkt. 25c



Bells of Ireland

(1054) BELLS OF IRELAND. Graceful (1034) BELLS OF INEBRAD. Graderia. 2 ft. stems surrounded by 2 inch greenish veined bells with small white flowers inside. Ideal for cutting or dried bouquets. Pkt. 25c; 3 pkts. 65c.

## Annual Asters Resistant

and productive than the ordinary strains. The different types which we offer, vary in form and blooming season. By starting seed of various types, you are assured of brilliant garden display and flowers for cutting from mid-summer to frost.

#### GIANT CREGOS

Wilt Resistant

Large flowers, 4 to 5 inches across, with long ribbon-like, gracefully curled and twisted petals, giving them a lovely fluffy appearance. Plants are strong growing of branching habit, 2 feet tall, and bloom in midseason with long stems fine for cutting.

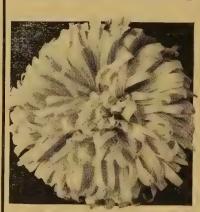
1103 BLUE FLAME. Bright navy blue,

1104 CRIMSON. Rich and velvety; a striking vivid red.

1105 DEEP ROSE. Always in demand;

1106 MIXED. Many colors blended. Any of the above, Pkt. 25c Any 3 Pkts. 65c

#### LONG SEASON ASTER COLLECTION



Early Giant Rose Marie (Rose Pink)

#### EARLY GIANT

(Wilt Resistant) Height 11/2-2 ft.

The most outstanding new development in Asters. The flowers are full petaled and very large, 4 to 5 inches across. Plants are 1½ to 2 feet tall, with branches low on central spike. Stems are strong and heavy, ideal for cutting. This exceptional new class comes into bloom during early to mid August.

1115 LIGHT BLUE. An exquisite shade. 1116 PEACH BLOSSOM. White flushed

1117 ROSE MARIE. Rich rose

Any of the above, Pkt. 15c 3 Pkts. (1 of each) for 40c

#### GIANT SINGLE CHINESE

(Early Midseason) Height 2 ft.
Like exquisite colored daisies, with
their golden yellow centers and perfectly formed petals. Unrivaled by
any other aster for cutting and house

1159 GIANT SINGLE CHINENSIS, FINEST MIXED......Pkt. 15c

#### SUNSHINE ASTERS

(Midsegson)

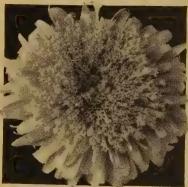
(Midseason)

The most beautiful and artistic of all Asters. The flowers have cushion centers of light yellow tubular petals, surrounded by broad guard petals of pink, rose, blue or lavender, producing a wonderful color contrast, and presenting an airy, lace-like effect. Individual blooms are 4 to 5 inches in diameter, on long, stiff stems. Plants 3 ft. high.

#### BRILLIANT RED ASTERS

(Early Midseason, Wilt Resistant) 1174 SENSATION. Brilliant scarlet flowers, large and very double... Pkt. 20c

1175 HEART OF FRANCE. Rich deep



Princess Linda

#### NEW CRESTED OR PRINCESS ASTERS

(Early Wilt Resistant—Height 2 ft.)

Princess Asters have full, double crested centers of bright gold, surrounded by several rows of broad quard petals. Colors include lovely shades of pink, salmon-rose, scarlet and yellow. Flowers are 3 to 3½ inches across, come into bloom early, and have exceptional keeping qualities.

1154 PRINCESS LINDA (Pink). 1155 PRINCESS MIXED......Pkt. 15c



Giant Single Asters are accentuated with high-yellow centers



Powderpuffs

#### UPRIGHT ASTERS POWDERPUFFS

(Early Wilt Resistant - Height 2 ft.)

A new type of Aster with very narrow upright habit of growth. Plants are topped with 3 to 3½ in. fully double blooms in a full color range of pink, azure, crimson, white, scarlet and blue. Powderpuffs are tailormade for home gardeners and still manages to be the top outdoor commercial Aster because of its many uses.

uses.
1181 POWDERPUFFS Finest Pkt. 25c

## GIANT MAMMOTH PEONY FLOWERED

(Midseason) Height 21/2-3 ft.

A super strain with immense double flowers of perfect form, borne on long stout stems characteristic of the true peony flowered type. Wonderful for cut flowers and a splendid keeper.

1140 SILVERY ROSE.



Royal Rose

#### EARLY ROYAL

(Early Midseason, Wilt Resistant)

These come into bloom in mid-August. The flowers are large and very double, with broad incurved petals; stems are long and upright, branching from the base of the plants. Height of plants, 2 feet.

1125 ROYAL ROSE

1127 ROYAL LAVENDER

1128 ROYAL PURPLE

Any of above, Pkt. 20c



Balsam-Double Bush

#### **BUSH BALSAM** (Annual)

1056 BUSH BALSAM. Masses of double roselike flowers at top of stems. Beau-tiful and easy to grow. Height 1 ft. Mixed colors.....Pkt. 20c; 2 pkts. 35c

#### GIANT DOUBLE CALENDULAS

Scotch or Pot Marigold (Annual)

1210 APRICOT BEAUTY. A new strain with uniformly larger flowers of better formation, longer, straighter stems and greater resistance to summer

#### CANDYTUFT (Annual)

Dwarf plants admirably adapted to beds, edgings, pots and borders. Will thrive anywhere, and blooms profusely throughout the summer.

#### PERENNIAL CANDYTUFT



Canterbury Bells (Single)

#### CANTERBURY BELLS Campanula Biennial

Plants form perfect pyramids about 2 feet high and produce beautiful bell-shaped flowers on long upright stems. Bloom in early summer.

1225 SINGLE CANTERBURY BELLS.
Mixed colors, rose, blue and white
Pkt. 15c

Pkt. 15c

1226 DOUBLE CANTERBURY BELLS.

Mixed colors, pink, blue and white
Pkt. 15c

1232 CUP AND SAUCER CANTERBURY BELLS. Its very large calyx is the same color as the corolla, giving the flower the appearance of a cup and saucer. Mixed colors. Pkt. 15c

#### CARNATION

(Annual)

1252 GIANT DOUBLE MARGUERITE. Blooms abundantly within five months from planting. Finest mixture. Pkt. 25c



Centaurea-Jubilee Gem

#### CENTAUREA

Cyanus (Annual) Bachelor's Button—Cornflower

These new improved varieties have larger flowers, stiffer stems and more vivid coloring. They grow about 30 inches tall, bloom all summer, and make fine cut flowers.

1260 RED BOY. 1261 SNOWMAN. 1262 BLUE BOY. 1263 PINKIE.

Any of above, 1/4 oz. 45c; pkt. 15c.

#### SHASTA DAISY

(Perennial)

1278 Chrysanthemum Maximum. Height 2 ft. June-August, Bears large white flowers on long stems; invalu-able for cutting. Very free flowering. Pkt. 15c



Coreopsis Sunburst

#### DOUBLE COREOPSIS

(Perennial)

#### CLARKIA

(Annual)

#### CLEOME

(Annual)

(Annual)

1302 CLEOME, PINK QUEEN. 4 ft.
Huge heads of delightful and refreshing true pink. The large flower bracts turn to white before falling, giving the appearance of a white collar with a pink cap. Blooms from July until frost. An effective background plant.

Pkt. 15c.

1303 CLEOME, HELEN CAMPBELL.

31/2 to 4 ft. Large glistening pure white flowers on tall, vigorous, light green stems. A selection from Pink Queen.

Pkt. 20c

#### COLEUS

1307 COLEUS. Decorative plants with foliage of brilliant, varied colors and markings. Ideal for house plants, beds' and borders. Easy to grow. Plant in full sun. Start seed indoors. Pkt. 25c.



Columbine (perennial)

#### COLUMBINE

Aquilegia (Perennial)

1305 DOBBIE'S IMPERIAL HYBRIDS.
Height 2 ft. Splendid plants for partially shaded positions in the border or rockery. Foliage is graceful and fern-like; the dainty long-spurred flowers are produced in strong brilliant shades of blue, lavender, pink and yellow. Pkt. 15c



Cockscomb-Pampas Plume

#### COCKSCOMB Celosia (Annual)

To Dry Celosias for Winter Bouquets Cut flowers at any growing stage, strip off leaves and hang head downward in a very dry, warm place. Do not let flower heads touch. Allow to dry for two weeks. Carefully rub off any chaff, and flowers are ready for

1256. (NEW) PAMPAS PLUME. Height 

1258 (NEW) TOREADOR. Height 2 ft. Lustrous bright red comb-type flower heads with scarlet highlights and with contrasting light green foliage! Useful in borders, beds, parks, everlastings, unusual flower arrangements and cut flowers ...... Pkt. 35c

#### CYNOGLOSSUM (Annual)





Cosmos-Fiesta

#### COSMOS

Early Giant Flowering

#### Early Mammoth Single

1310 EARLY FLOWERING MAMMOTH MIXED, 4-6 ft. Tall, graceful, airy plants with handsome large blooms excellent for cutting. Contains soft shades of crimson, pink and lavender Pkt. 15c

#### Early Klondike

The plants of Early Klondyke are well-branched and very sturdy with deep green serrated foliage and long wiry stems.

wiry stems.

1311 ORANGE RUFFLES. 3 ft. Semi-double flowers of flaming orange, with an airy butterfly-like beauty. Blooms early and continuously for 6 weeks. Pkt. 15c

1313 FIESTA. 2½ ft. Orange petals are flashed or striped with scarlet. 1952 Silver Medal award. Pkt. 25c

#### **Giant Early Sensation**

1314 SENSATION. Mixed. 4 ft. Mammoth flowers, 4-5 inches across with heavy fluted petals. Colors: rose-pink, 



Cosmos-Sensation Radiance

A-1314 SENSATION RADIANCE. 4 ft. Striking deep rose, zoned crimson at base of petals. The first bicolor Cosmos ever to be developed. Flowers are giant in size with long strong stems, ideal for cutting......Pkt. 25c

#### **New Double Cosmos** Mandarin

1315 MANDARIN. This new, fully double, brilliant orange Cosmos has 40 or more petals. The plants, with their dense foliage make luxurious garden specimen. Pkt. 25c.

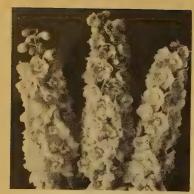
#### DUSTY MILLER

1279 CENTAUREA GYMNOCARPA. in. Finely divided silvery-white leaves of a wooly texture. Lavender flowers in late summer. Attractive for accent purposes in borders, beds and vases. Grown purposely for its unusual foliage. Pkt. 15c.

#### DWARF DAHLIAS

(Half Hardy Perennial)

1306 UNWIN'S IDEAL BEDDING MIXED. 18 in. Have lovely dahlias 60 days from sowing. We offer the best mixture of double and semidouble flowering, in shades of orange, pink, yellow, lavender, red and white. Dwarf bushy plants. Easy to grow as zinnias, they give a striking effect in the border and are unsurpassed as cut flowers......Pkt. 25c



Delphiniums—B and L Hybrids

#### **DELPHINIUMS**

Hardy Larkspur (Perennial)

Tall, stately perennials with hand-somely cut foliage and immense spikes of beautiful flowers in June and again in September. In deep, rich soil they grow six feet or more tall. Flowers are enormous and set close, forming lovely plumes of color.

See Pages 52 and 74 for Delphinium Plants.

1334 BLACKMORE AND LANGDON HYBRIDS. Enormous flowers in delicate shades of blue, mauve and pink, with bees of contrasting colors.... .....Pkt. 35c

1336 WREXHAM HOLLYHOCK STRAIN. 

#### DIANTHUS OR PINKS

China Pinks (Annual)

Easily raised from seed, they bloom from early summer until frost.

1342 DOUBLE GAIETY. 1 ft. A new double form of Gaiety. Loads of Iringed blooms. Mixed 1/8 oz. 50c; pkt. 15c.

#### HYACINTH BEAN OR DOLICHOS (Annual Climber)

#### FOXGLOVE OR DIGITALIS

(Biennial)

1355 SHIRLEY HYBRIDS. Height 5-6 ft. The flower-heads are over 3 feet long, closely set with big bell-shaped blossoms of white, rose and crimson blossoms of white, rose discountributions of white with beautiful throat markings. Mixed with beautiful throat markings. Pkt. 25c



Four O'clock-Marvel of Peru

#### FOUR O'CLOCKS

Marvel of Peru (Annual)

1370 FINEST MIXED. Height 2-3 ft. Erect, bushy plants with dense glossy toliage and hundreds of long-tubed, funnel-shaped flowers of white, yellow, crimson or striped. They remain closed until 4 o'clock in the afternoon when the plants become a glowing when the plants become a glowing mass of color.....1/2 oz. 40c; pkt. 25c



Gaillardia-Giant Hybrids

#### GAILLARDIAS

Blanket Flower (Annual)

Brilliant and effective either for garden decoration or cutting. Gaillardias delight in a warm, sunny location and light, open, well-drained soil. Sow the seed where they are

1380 LORENZIANA DOUBLE FINEST MIXED. 18 in. Colors range from light lemon-yellow to deep orange or scarlet with striking bands and flecks of crimson. 1/8 oz. 25c; pkt. 10c

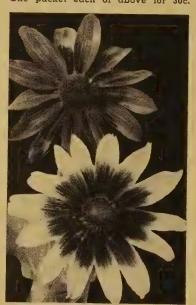
#### **GAILLARDIA** Grandiflora

(Perennial)

One of the few perennials that flowers continuously from June to October. They thrive in any position or soil and are perfectly hardy. Invaluable for cutting.

1382 BURGUNDY. 2 ft. Shining wine-

1384 GIANT HYBRIDS. 2 ft. Immense One packet each of above for 30c.



Fabulous New Gloriosa Daisies

#### New Easy-to-Grow GLORIOSA DAISIES

1375 MIXED COLORS. 3 ft. Sensational giant hybrid rudbeckia, with single flowers up to 7 inches across, in gorgeous yellows, mahogany, and bicolors of orange and gold, and mahogany and bronze. Thrives even under adverse conditions and produces a continuous supply of long-stemmed cut flowers until frost, Pkt. 25c

See Page 73 for Colorful New Alyssum, "Pink Heather"



Gourds-Small Fruited Varieties

#### GOURDS

Small Fruited Ornamental (Annual Climber)

1393 SMALL VARIETIES, MIXED. 15-20 

For Ornamental Indian Corn See page 65

#### GODETIA

1385 GODETIA. 18 in. Masses of attractive double flowers on bushy plants during the summer and fall. Flowers are closely spaced which makes for nice bouquets and are showy in beds or borders. Thrives best in moist soil and half shade. Mixed colors. 3 pkts. 35c; pkt. 15c.

#### GOMPHRENA

Globe Amaranth (Annual)

1390 EVERLASTING MIXED. Height 18-24 in. Bushy plants with clover-like blossoms of purple-red, yellow, rose and white. Very attractive in winter bouquets. They should be cut before they are fully open...Pkt. 10c

#### HELICHRYSUM

Everlasting or Strawflower (Annual) 1425 Height 2-3 ft. Large double flowers, 1-1½ in. across, are produced all summer. Colors range from yellow, orange, red and rose to white. Splendid for winter bouquets. Pkt. 15c



Hollyhock-Chater's Double Mixed

#### HOLLYHOCKS

1437 CHATER'S DOUBLE MIXED. 6-8 

#### KOCHIA

Summer Cypress (Annual)

1465 BURNING BUSH. Height 2-2½ ft. Plants are erect, much-branched and densely pyramidal resembling small closely-sheared evergreens. Foliage is feathery soft bright green, turning to red in fall......½ oz. 25c; pkt. 15c

#### LATHYRUS

Perennial Pea (Climber)

1480 LATIFOLIUS. 6-8 ft. A decorative vine for a trellis or fence. The flowers are borne in large clusters all summer, and are splendid for cutting. Mixed colors: rose, white and crimson. Once established, the roots should not be disturbed.....Pkt. 10c



Larkspur Giant Imperial Mixed

#### LARKSPUR

(Annual)

#### **New Ground Branching** 1466 DARK BLUE WONDER. Deep rich

1467 SALMON WONDER. Exquisite, soft salmon-rose.

1469 GROUND BRANCHING MIXED. Any one of above......Pkt. 25c

#### **Giant Imperial Double**

1470 BLUE BELL. Azure blue.

1472 DAZZLER. Rich, lustrous scarlet.

1473 MISS CALIFORNIA. Salmon-rose.

1475 GIANT IMPERIAL MIXED.

Price of Giant Imperial Double, pkt. 25c. 3 Packets (your choice) for 65c.



Lunaria or Honesty

#### LUNARIA (Biennial)

#### MORNING GLORIES

Ipomea (Annual Climber)

1521 FLYING SAUCER. Pictured in color Page 73. Huge 4-inch flowers of "Heavenly Blue" striped with powdery white. Glowing golden throat... Pkt. 35c

1525 SCARLET O'HARA. Rich wine-red or deep crimson. Very showy Pkt. 25c

1526 EARLY FLOWERING HEAVENLY-BLUE. Vines are a mass of lovely sky-blue flowers, 2½-3 inches across, from early summer to frost...Pkt. 25c

1522 BLUE STAR. Exquisite sky blue flowers. All-America Winner. .Pkt. 15c

#### COLORFUL NEW CLIMBER

## **Brilliant MARIGOLDS**

Marigolds are sun-loving plants, thriving in hot, dry locations. With their wide variations in height, color and form, they may be used to advantage in many parts of the garden.

#### **NEW NOVELTY MARIGOLDS**



Glitters Marigold

1500 SPUNGOLD. 1960 All winner in color on front cover. 1960 All America



1960 All America Hybrid "Toreador"

1494 TOREADOR. New F1 hybrid American Marigold with fully double and ruffled 41/2 inch flowers of bright orange, on 18-inch stems suitable for cutting and semi compact plants are excellent for bedding. Tremendous hybrid flower production......Pkt. 50c

#### **Carnation Flowered** With Odorless Foliage

#### Double African Marigolds

1502 FINEST MIXED VARIETIES. 2½
ft. Immense ball-shaped, perfectly
double blooms on long, stiff stems for
cutting. Colors include canary-yellow, dazzling orange and rich goldenyellow. They also make a grand display in the garden. Pkt. 20c.

### Mammoth Marigold Collection

One Pkt. MAYLING 350 Each REAL GOLD

#### **Dwarf French Marigolds** For Borders, Pot Plants and Bedding



Lemondrop

1503 LEMONDROP. 9 in. New early canary-yellow miniature completely loaded with double flowers from the time plants are 2 in tall until hard frost. Compact plants excellent for borders, beds, flower boxes. Pkt. 25c

1504 SCARLET GLOW. 1 ft. In the sun this flower glows and seems redder than any other Marigold..Pkt. 15c

1505 DWARF DOUBLE BUTTERBALL 9 in. An exquisite little Marigold 1½-inch canary-yellow blooms. Eand continuous flowering, excel and continuous flowering, excellent for edging or pot plants.....**Pkt. 15c** 

1506 RUSTY RED. 18 in. Large fully double flowers, 2 in. across, of a rich deep rusty red, delicately edged yellow. Plants are the most uniform shape and height we have ever seen. Use for borders, low hedge or cut flowers. Good bloomer. Pkt. 25c.

1507 DWARF DOUBLE SUNKIST. 9 in.
A Silver Medal Winner. Very early and like Butterball in habit and form, but the color is a rich, deep orange Pkt. 20c

#### **New Petite Marigolds** 1958 BRONZE MEDAL WINNER



Petite Marigolds - Ideal for edging

Petite strain is distinctly different from retite strain is distinctly different from any other class of marigolds. Especially bred to remain dwarf, plants produce an abundance of very early blooms. Strikingly uniform in low spreading growth, the little crested flowers come all-double, covering the plants until no foliage is visible.

1510 PETITE MIXED.

1511 PETITE YELLOW. Lemon-yellow 1512 PETITE ORANGE. Rich orange 1513 PETITE HARMONY, Mahogany

1514 PETITE GOLD, Rich golden color Any of the above, Pkt, 35c Any 3 Pkts, for 90c



Dwarf Double Gem

#### NASTURTIUMS

Will bloom most prolifically if given rather poor soil and an open, sunny position.

#### **Double Gleam Type**

1570 GOLDEN GLEAM. Fragrant golden-yellow flowers on long stems.

1571 SCARLET GLEAM. Fiery orange-scarlet flowers with ruffled petals.

1572 DOUBLE GLORIOUS GLEAM HY-BRIDS. Gorgeously colored flowers of salmon, yellow, cream, orange, scarlet, maroon and rose shades.

Any of above, pkt. 20c

1573 DWARF DOUBLE GEM MIXED. Compact plants, ideal for edging. Semi-double, fragrant flowers in a bright range of colors.......**Pkt. 20c** 

1574 DWARF SINGLE MIXED. 1 ft. 

#### NICOTIANA

Flowering Tobacco (Annual)

#### GIANT PANSIES



Pansy-Swiss Giants

1628 ROGGLI SWISS GIANTS MIXED. Gigantic flowers of heavy texture on strong stems. The colors are choice and rare, surpassing in quality and range all other Swiss Giants..Pkt. 35c

1629 MASTERPIECE OR RUFFLED PANSIES. A remarkable strain of Giant Pansies with beautifully frilled petals, so full as to appear almost double. Rich colors, with dark velvety shades predominating...Pkt. 25c

### Marigold Border Collection

One SCARLET GLOW Pkt. BUTTERBALL Each SUNKIST



Twinkle Dwarf Phlox

#### ANNUAL PHLOX

1665 DWARF NANA COMPACTA. in. Beautiful symmetrical, dwarf, compact plants for window-boxes, pots, borders, beds, etc. Provides unfailing display of many colors from July well into October. Globe mixed. Pkt. 25c: 2 pkts. 45c.



New Glamour Phlox, created With Chemical Aid

1667 GLAMOUR. 1960 All America 

#### PLATYCODON

Balloon Flower (Perennial)

1679 GRANDIFLORA BLUE. Height 18-

#### ICELAND POPPIES

1706 GARTFORD GIANT ART SHADES. 18 in. Exceptionally large flowers, fluted, and carried on long stems. The colors include lovely pastels.

1707 THE EMPEROR. 18 in. Deep tan-Any of above, pkt. 25c; 3 pkts. for 60c

#### ORIENTAL POPPY (Perennial)

1710 Height 2-3 ft. For gorgeous color 

#### ANNUAL POPPIES

1691 AMERICAN LEGION. An improved variety of Flanders Poppy. Flowers are a brilliant orange-scarlet of enormous size, on long stout stems of enormous size, on long stout

1692 PIERROT. Brilliant, scarlet-red flowers on 20 in. stems, with striking black blotches at the base. Extremely free flowering, and the rich color is emphasized by the light grayish-green foliage. Blooms within eight weeks from sowing...Pkt. 15c

## PETUNIAS-Colorful Blooms all Summer



Glitters Petunia

1644 GLITTERS. New F1 Hybrid All America Selection with real red and 



Red Satin Petunia

1643 RED SATIN. New Fl All America Selection of multiflora type with intense flaming orange-red—the brightest, liveliest red in petunias. Retains its color in all kinds of weather. Bushy compact plants grow 10-12 in. tall.



Fire Dance Petunia



Circus Parade Petunias

1642 CIRCUS PARADE. Mixed colors. Unrivaled F2 Hybrid with brilliant colors of rose, pink, red, salmon, lavender, blue and white. Many blooms combine these colors in splashes, stripes, blotches and sheens. To add to the lovely colors is an abundance of sweetly scented blooms in varying sizes—many of which are heavily ruffled. Pkt. 50c.



"Maytime" 1958 Medal Winner Outstanding New Salmon-pink

1662 MAYTIME. I ft. The largest-flowering F-1 Hybrid. Flowers 3½ inches across, in an appealing shade of clear, light salmon-pink, with delicately fringed petals. Its color remains unchanged in heat and rain. Plants are vigorous, compact and sarreading the sarreading street of the sarreading street. spreading ...



Toreador Petunia

## Famous New F-I Hybrid Petunias

These remarkable new HYBRIDS offer many colors not found in ordinary bedding varieties. The plants are dwarf, compact, sturdy, more (PLANTS OFFERED ON PAGE 57)

vigorous and bloom much more abundantly. They thrive almost anywhere. They're really better. Your choice: Pkt. \$1.00.

1650. TOREADOR, velvety crimson-red grandi-

1652. MAESTRO, cerise rose-red grandiflora..... 1660. MERCURY, nearest to true blue multiflora..

1661. FIRE DANCE, frilled fire red...... 1638. PALEFACE, glistening white, cream center

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5 Packets:

one of each



Colossal Shades of Rose

#### **Giant Ruffled Petunias**

For Pot Plants or Bedding. Plants grow about 12 inches high, of bushy habit, with enormous 4 inch flowers.

1647 COLOSSAL SHADES OF ROSE. All-America Silver Medal Winner. Many huge fully double 5 in. blooms of striking, salmon-pink, rose-pink and deep rich rosy mauve. 20 in. tall



Fluffy Ruffles

1625, FLUFFY RUFFLES MIXED, These 



1649 PRIMA DONNA. Famous giant 

1655 THEODOSIA. A Giant Single Fringed Petunia of soft rose pink, with wide golden throat, delicately veined. Gracefully fringed and ruf-fled ......Pkt. 25c

#### A Velvety Purple Petunia

1654 ELK'S PRIDE. A Giant Single Petunia of exceptional beauty. The color is a deep, velvety purple Plants are dwarf, compact and vigorous.

Pkt. 25c

1651 FINEST MIXED BEDDING PETU-NIAS. All colors. 1/8 oz. 60c, pkt...20c



Double Portulaca

#### PORTULACA

Moss Rose (Annual)

Portulacas thrive in a dry, sunny position where most other flowering plants would die of drought. They are but 4 inches high, of spreading habit and form a dense thick carpet. The glossy cup-shaped single blossoms and rose-like double flowers cover the plants and make a brilliant display all summer.

1712 SINGLE MIXED 

#### PYRETHRUM

Painted Daisy (Perennial)

Large daisy-like flowers on stiff, 2-foot stems. Come into bloom in June and continue through July. Prized for cutting because of their fine keeping qualities.

1727 ROBINSON'S HYBRIDS. Includes a fine color range......Pkt. 20c

#### RICINUS

Castor Bean (Annual)

1730 RED SPIRE. 6-8 ft. Foliage plants 



Salpiglossis

#### SALPIGLOSSIS

Painted Tongue or Velvet Flower (Annual)

(Annual)

1741 Height 2-2½ ft. Beautiful velvety petunia-like flowers, greatly prized for cutting. They range in color from various shades of purple and blue through red and yellow to creamy white, delicately veined and penciled with gold. Bloom from July to frost.

Pkt. 20c; 3 pkts. for 50c

## Balcony Petunias for the Window Box

Of graceful, trailing habit, this strain of Petunias was developed for use in porch and window boxes.

1656 DEEP BLUE. Deep violet-blue.
Pkt. 25c 1658 RED WONDER. The brightest red.....Pkt. 15c 



New Dwarf Salvia Fireworks

#### SALVIA

Scarlet Sage (Annual)

Handsome summer and autumn-flowering annual with brilliant flow-ers; very effective for massing, bed-ding and cutting. Useful also for window box and pot plants.

1745 FIREWORKS. 1 ft. Spectacular, bright scarlet spikes, dense, and rigidly upright, on uniformly compact plants. Comes into bloom very early, while plants are but a few inches tall, and continues until frost....Pkt. 50c

1746 FIREBRAND (Harbinger). 15 in. A true dwarf, large-flowering Salvia. The symmetrical plants are completely covered with long sprays of large brilliant scarlet flowers.....Pkt. 25c

1747 AMERICAN or GLOBE OF FIRE. Freest and most continuous bloomer. Round, bushy plants of uniform growth, 1½ ft. tall, are covered with large spikes of flaming scarlet flow



Scabiosa—Double Giant Hybrids

#### SCABIOSAS

Pin-cushion Flower (Annual)

The new improved Scabiosas have large, cone-shaped flowers of great depth. Borne on long, graceful stems, they are exceedingly fine for cutting.

1752 IMPERIAL GIANTS BLUE MOON. 

1753 BLACK KNIGHT. Outstanding new double brilliant dark red of unusually large size and vigorous growth. Pkt. 25c
1754 FIRE KING. Best of the reds, attractive new bright red. Pkt. 25c
1757 GIANT HYBRIDS MIXED. Colors include shades of red, rose and blue. 1/4 oz. 60c; pkt. 15c

#### Perennial Scabiosa

Blue Bonnet (Caucasica)

1758 GIANT HYBRIDS. Height 18-24 in. 

#### Scarlet Runner BEAN

(Annual Climber)

1760 Grows 12 to 15 ft. high, with brilliant scarlet flowers followed by green shell beans excellent for table use.....Lb. 45c; 1/2 lb. 25c; pkt. 10c

#### STOCK

1834 TRYSOMIC STOCK, 14 inch. We 



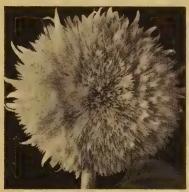
Vanguard All America Snapdragon

#### SNAPDRAGONS (Annual)

1776. ROCKET — (see page 73)

VANGUARD — new and better 1960 All America HYBRID Snap-dragon. Sturdy 3 ft. spikes, solidly packed with big double ruffled florets 

1765 CALIFORNIA GIANT MIXED. Developed by University of California. Resistant to rust. Height 2½ ft. Pkt. 25c



Sunflower-Sun Gold

#### SUNFLOWER

Helianthus (Annual)

Grow them as a background for the vegetable garden. The new dwarf varieties make excellent cut flowers. Thin plants to 11/2 ft. apart.

1830 EXCELSIOR HYBRIDS, 5 ft. Zoned bronze and red shades..... Pkt. 15c

1831 SUN GOLD. 4 ft. Brilliant golden yellow flowers, fully double..Pkt. 15c

1832 MAMMOTH RUSSIAN. 8-10 ft. Huge flat flower heads grown for the seeds which are fed to parrots, poul-try and birds. Planted in the poultry yard the plants furnish shade, and when planted in the vegetable garden the stalks will serve as poles for climbing pole beans......Oz. 25c

#### SCHIZANTHUS

Butterfly Flower (Annual)

GIANT-FLOWERING HYBRIDS MIXED. 18 in. Exquisite, butterfly like blossoms in delicate colors found

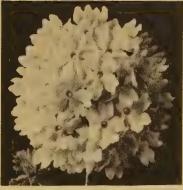
#### SWEET WILLIAM

Dianthus Barbatus (Perennial)

Hardy garden plants, grow 12 to 18 inches high, with flowers in flat clusters on tall stiff stems.

1890 SINGLE LARGE FLOWERED MIXED ......Pkt. 15c

1891 DOUBLE LARGE FLOWERING



Verbena—Floradale Beauty

#### **VIVID VERBENAS**

1900 BLUE AND PURPLE SHADES... Pkt. 15c

1909 HYBRIDA GRANDIFLORA "SAL-MON QUEEN" (New Bush Type). Height 10 in. Broad flat-topped bushy plants, 12 to 15 inches across, covered with large broad-petaled flowers of bright salmon-pink with a small white eye. Make attractive bouquets Plet 25c



Dianthus Barbatus Sweet William

#### VERBENA, HARDY GARDEN

1910 VENOSA. Spreading plants, 1 ft. tall, covered with large panicles of purplish blue flowers from July until frost. Excellent for beds, edgings and ground cover. Blooms first year and ground cover. Blooms first year if started early. 1/8 oz. 85c; 2 pkts. 35c; pkt. 20c.

#### VIOLA

#### Tufted Pansy (Perennial)

Closely related to pansies and violets. Violas make splendid edging plants for the border and rock gar-den. They are hardy and bloom con-

1919 FINEST MIXED. Includes lavender, orange, purple, blue and yellow nd yellow ..**Pkt. 15c** 

## Exquisite SWEET

Pkt. plants 6 ft. of row, Mammoth Pkt. 25 ft.



Sweet Pea Spencer

#### Early Spencer

Spring-Flowering Sweet Peas

1835 AMETHYST. Royal purple.

1836 BALL'S ROSE IMPROVED. Deep

1839 SHIRLEY TEMPLE. Soft rose-pink.

1843 FRAGRANCE. Clear lavender.

1847 MARINER. Clear marine-blue.

1848 MARS. Deep crimson.

1850 TREASURE ISLAND. Sparkling

1852 OTHELLO. Maroon.

Your choice, any of the al Pkt. 15c; 6 pkts. for 65c

1865 RAINBOW MIXED SPENCER.
Giant Waved varieties in a complete color range. 1/4 lb, \$1.00; Mammoth Pkt. 25c; pkt. 15c

#### Spencer

Summer-Flowering Sweet Peas

1857 RUFFLED BLUE. Medium blue. 1858 BONNIE RUFFLES. Cream-pink.

1859 RUFFLED CRIMSON. Rich crim-

1861 RUFFLED PURPLE. Rosy purple.

1862 RUFFLED ROSE. Pure rose. 1864 RUFFLED WHITE. Pure white

Any Summer-Flowering Spencers, Pkt. 15c: 3 pkts. for 35c

#### **Dwarf Sweet Pea**

1833 LITTLE SWEETHEART. An entirely new class of Sweet Pea. Upright growing, 8 inch rounded plants are literally covered with brilliant sweet pea blooms in a complete mixture of colors. Need no staking or support. Pkt. 25c, 3 pkts. 65c.



Sweet Pea-Cuthbertson

#### **New Cuthbertson** Heat Resistant

Sweet Peas for Late Spring and Early Summer Bloom

This new strain blooms under adverse weather conditions, with exceptional vigor, length of stems and abundance of fragrant blossoms.

.1 oz. \$1.00; Pkt. 20c; 3 pkts. for 50c.

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1875 NEW EARLY MULTIFLORA.

Zvolanek Strain. Just imagine! You now can have sweet peas with from 5 to 8 blooms per stem on stems a foot long. Huge clusters of highly fragrant, ruffled blooms in a complete color range on vigorous plants from mid-summer until frost. Early flowering. Mixed colors. Pkt. 25c, 5 pkts. \$1.00. 5 pkts. \$1.00.

1876 NEW WAVY FLORIBUNDA. 1876 NEW WAVY FLORIBUNDA. The superior qualities of heat resistance coupled with a more vigorous plant, more and larger ruffled fragrant flowers on longer stems makes this new strain extremely beautiful and easy to grow. Finest Mixed: Pkt. 15c. 3 pkts. for 40c.

## Sensational New ZINNIAS

proper development are the simple requirements of the Zinnia, Failure to grow perfect flowers is usually due to overcrowding. Tall varieties should be thinned to stand 2 feet apart, and smaller sorts 12 to 14 inches apart. Plants properly spaced produce flowers that are large and true to type. Applications of liquid manure will improve the size of the blooms as Zinnias are heavy feeders and soon exhaust the soil.



New Zinnia, Miss Universe



Candy Striped Ortho Polka

#### **Candy Striped Zinnias Are New and Interesting**

1947 PEPPERMINT STICK. 3 ft. Same 



Luther Burbank has giant 5-in. blooms

1955 LUTHER BURBANK, 3-4 ft. So named because the initial development work in creating this Giant Zinnia was done by Luther Burbank. The immense, double 5-inch flowers come in salmon, pink, rose, yellow and in 3-color combinations Pkt. 20c

#### **Crested Zinnias**

1948 CRESTED. 3 ft. The flowers are 3-4 inches across, with full rounded, cushion centers, surrounded by broad guard petals. The colors are bright 

#### Spectacular New Zinnia

1950 MISS UNIVERSE. 11/2-2 ft. Largest and loveliest of all Zinnias, the blooms often measuring 7 inches in diameter. Dwarfer, more attractive plants, base-branching, to assure long-stemmed cut flowers. Colors come in new shades and color combinations never before seen in Zinnias, and include luscious pastels in salmon, rose, pink and cream, as well as gold, red and orange.....

#### Giants of a New Race

1945 DAVID BURPEE. 4 ft. Giant flowers, made up of attractively curled, quilled, chrysanthemum-like petals. The color range includes soft cream, rose, peach and orange, with some solid colors and others a combination of pastel tones.....Pkt. 15c



Blaze, Brightest Red Zinnia

#### **Three Giant** Cactus-Flowered Zinnias

1942 BLAZE, 21/2 ft. All-America Winner for 1954. 5 in. fiery managrin-red bloom with fluffy, double, gracefully quilled petals ......Pkt. 35c

1943 SUNNY BOY, 21/2 ft. Brilliant but-tercup-yellow blooms, 5 in. across with delightfully ruffled petals.

1970 FLORADALE SCARLET. 2½ ft. Large, vibrant bright scarlet-red flowers, 5 to 5½ in. across, 3 in. deep, made up of many strap-shaped ruffied and flutted petals of unusual grace and refinement. Showy in the garden or as cut flowers. .3 pkts. 50c; pkt. 20c

Novelty Zinnia Collection

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CANDY STRIPED ORTHO POLKA

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Giant-Flowered Zinnias—Immense 4-5 inch double flowers, on bushy plants 3 ft. tall.

The stately beauty of the huge double flowers makes a gorgeous display in mass planting. Blooms often measure 4 inches and more across, with broad, closely imbricated petals.

1931 WILL ROGERS. Brilliant scarlet. 1932 GOLDEN DAWN. Golden yellow.

1933 ILLUMINATION. Deep rose. 1934 CRIMSON MONARCH. Rich crim-

1935 ORIOLE. Orange and gold bi-

1936 ROYAL PURPLE. Deep purple.

1938 ELDORADO. Salmon-apricot.

1960 GRENADIER. Extra fine dark red.

1961 MISS WILLMOTT. Soft, rich pink.

1962 PURITY. Best clear white.

1963 ROSE QUEEN. Rose with deep

Each of the above, pkt. 15c; any 4 pkts. for 50c

#### Giant Zinnias in a Gay Mixture

## **Cut-and-Come Again Zinnias**

These bushy 18-inch plants with their wealth of bloom make showy edgings or mass plantings from early summer till frost. Fully double, well rounded 2½-inch flowers on ideal cutting stems. The more you cut 'em, the more they bloom!

1991 TANGERINE 1992 CANARY YELLOW

1993 BRIGHT SCARLET 1994 SALMON ROSE

1995 SUNSHINE MIXED TINTS Your choice of CUT and COME AGAIN ZINNIAS, Pkt. 15c

## DWARF ZINNIAS for BORDERS & BEDDING

Height 12-15 in.



Mexican Zinnia

1979 PERSIAN CARPET. 15-18 in. Improved Mexican Hybrid with larger blooms and richer color tones. Flowers are double, 2 in. across, with many color combinations of rose tipped yellow, maroon tipped yellow, yellow tipped red 

1972 DAINTY GEM. A delicate shade 

1973 BLACK RUBY. Hundreds of double rich maroon blooms. Pkt. 10c 1975 FINEST MIXED COLORS Pkt. 25c

1976 RED RIDING HOOD. 



### Zinnia Linearis

1971 LINEARIS. 10 in. Deep golden-orange, single flowers with a narrow light yellow stripe through the center of each petal. Early flowering...... Pkt. 15c

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### ORNAMENTAL INDIAN

(245) This new hybrid makes gorgeous winter decorations. The gayly colored ears sell readily at road-side stands, markets, department stores. Be first to grow this new, more colorful HYBRID Indian Corn with extra long ears and greater color variations than ever before! It's profitable, it's easy, it's fun to grow in the home garden. Pkt. 25c, 1/2 lb. 65c, lb. \$1.00, 5 lbs. \$4.45, ppd.

## "HI-HUMUS" PEAT MOSS

Prevents killing of roots during both winter and summer. Holds moisture, reduces weeding. Use it around roses, shrubs, perennials, your window boxes, ferns and potted plants. Contains life-giving humus and nitrogen essential to plant growth — and is free from silt and weed seeds. Prices: 5-qt. bag \$1.45, 10-qt. bag \$2.25 postpaid to 3rd zone. 100 lb. bag \$4.65 by freight, not ppd.



## Holds 10 lbs. of Bird Seed!

Birds flock to this Birds flock to this spacious, protective, feeder that won't require frequent refilling due to huge capacity. Permanent metal roof and base with clear plasti-glass reservoir that per-mits feeding and observing from all 4 sides! \$5.95 ppd.

### STEEL POST WILD BIRD

## FEEDER

Just push tubular steel post in ground near your favorite observation window, or hang feeder from convenient branch. Feeder of high-impact weather resistant plastic holds 2 lbs. bird seed. Pole and feeder 65" high overall—feeding birds are safe from cats, squirrels. Complete with sectional pole, only \$4.60 postpaid. SPECIAL: above feeder with 5 lbs. Wild Bird Seed Mix for \$5.49 ppd. (Seed mix only \$1.25 ppd.)

#### HANGING DINER

You'll have a picnic when you suspend this hanging picnic ground from post, tree or window frame! It's a 16" long feeder of roughened brownstained wood with holes on all sides. Two sides have perches, two are plain for clingers. Comes crammed with delicious Seed-Suet and Peanut Food Cups. All for \$2.19 postpaid Seed-Suet and Peanut For Cups. All for \$2.19 postpaid.

#### WILD BIRD FOOD CUPS

An irresistible blend of seeds, suet, pressed peanuts, berries—molded into paper cups to refill Hanging Diner. 24 for \$1.50 ppd.

## FOR YOUR HOUSE PLANTS, YOUR HOUSE AND GARDEN



## for AFRICAN VIOLETS and other House Plants!

House plants droopy? Leaves turning yellow, spotting, dropping off? Most likely tiny, hard-to-see insect parasites are killing your plants. Try this bomb—no mixing, no sprayer needed. Just press button, insecticide mist kills mealy bugs, mites, aphids, white flies, other pests. Safe to use. For African Violets, Ivy, Bracken or Boston a, Philodendron, Rubber Plant, etc. 1.00, 2 for \$1.85, postpaid.

bomb, \$1.00, 2 for \$1.85, postpaid.



#### INSTANT PLANT SHINE

Permanent Lustre, & Dust Resistance for Life!

ONLY 50c postpaid.



#### **SPECIAL** BOOST-EM FOR POTTED PLANTS

For house-plant enthusiasts

For house-plant enthusiasts who enjoy lots of potted plants, here's a plant pantry that keeps your plants healthy, vigorous and well-fed for months! Developed by adding vital trace elements to our famous Boost-ents, and packaging recommended dosages in artight foil. Compare this powerful 10-52-17 formula with any other. It's completely soluble, scientifically balanced to stimulate healthy growth, increase size and quantity of blooms. Apply only once a month. Your plants will thrive and bloom to satisfy your fondest hopes. Pkg. of 6 1-gallon dosages, 25c, 5 pkgs. (makes 30 gallons), \$1.00 postpaid.



## **PLANTABBS**

Just push plant food tablets into pot soil— avoids bother of solu-tions 50 tablets 39c, 90 tablets 59c, 200 for

\$1.00, or 1.000 for \$3.50 ppd

#### VIOLET FOOD in CAPSULES MADE ESPECIALLY FOR AFRICAN VIOLETS

To promote blossoming and intensify color, use this special formula plant food that becomes available gradually, as the plant needs it. Safe, easy to use, non poisonous, instructions on package.

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## FERT-L-FED FLOWER POT



Self-watering, self-feeding, 2 piece flower-growing unit for African Violets and other house plants. Easy-to-fill reservoir supplies reservoir supplies water and plant food (see above) to roots as needed. 5 inch plastic pot and base in choice of red, yellow, green, or bronze: 2 complete sets \$1.10. 4 for \$1.95, ppd.



## SELF-**ATTACHING** WINDOW

No. WS35. Fastens to any window sill without screws. Provides big 6" x 23" shelf space. Nonsagging heavy gauge metal with spill proof ledge, no sharp edges. Choice of kitchen red or ivory.

#### FLOWER POT **DECORATOR**

Dress up clay pots with attractive plastic open-work, in the wrought iron manner.

Choice of Black, White, Pink. To fit 3" pots, 5 for \$1.00 ppd. To fit 4" pots, 4 for \$1.00 ppd.



#### **Totem Pole AFRICAN** VIOLET STAND

An artistic 42" high stand for that picture window! Holds nine 4" African Violet pots on movable arms to change sun exposure, and one 8" bottom pot for Ivy or other climber to spiral up graceful filigreed center column which may be moss filled to provide moissture. Choice of ture. Choice of BLACK, WHITE, Stand only (without pots): \$7.85 postpaid. Complete with \$9.85 POSTPAID.

#### WHITE MOUNTAIN APPLE PARER CORER & SLICER ONLY \$3.95

In only 5 seconds you can peel off apple skins razor thin, remove the core and slice the fruit



all at the same time! So easy a child can use Process bushels quickly for canning. A favorite for 80 years!

## MOON SIGN BOOK

FOR THOSE WHO LIKE TO PLANT BY THE MOON!

Concerning planetary influence on planting and harvesting. Used to determine most favorable planting dates for particular crops in order to work in harmony with nature. Money back if not satisfied and book is returned in 10 days. 256 pages. Price \$1.45.



#### BIRD BATH

A permanent, durable garden ornament, molded of weather-resistant, high-impact plastic in handsome classic design that looks for all the world like fine imported marble! Hollow base fills with gravel for stability. 25" high, 21" diameter bowl locks to pedestal. A road basety. real beauty!

\$7.95 POSTPAID



#### Fertl-Cubes For Starting Seeds Use them in the house or garden!

Grow earlier, healthier plants from seeds, by sowing them in these 1-in. cubes of compressed organic plant food and vermiculite. A depression holds 1 or 2 seeds. Fertl-Cubes always stay moist, so seeds germinate rapidly. Seedlings feed continuously on rich, natural plant food in the cubes and develop vigorous, healthy roots. Come transplanting time, put cube and all into the garden . . . plants keep growing without a setback! Fertl-Cubes are clean, easy to use, fit most containers. Their small cost will repay you many times over in bigger, better flowers and vegetables!

B158 Pkg. of 120 cubes (postpaid).......\$4.95 B152 Pkg. of 40 cubes (postpaid)........... 2.00

## EZY WEAR GARDEN



ALL LEATHER and DURABLE yet SOFT AS KID and EASY TO WEAR -for Men and Women

—for Men and women
Eezy Wear gives you everything you've been wanting
in a garden glove: All-leather protection from dirt,
scratches, stains, infection—
PAREHAND FREEDOM. Their

yet permit almost BAREHAND FREEDOM. Their amazing softness and pliability is the result of a special processing of select lamb skins. Economical, too—outwear 6 pairs of ordinary fabric gloves, are washable and can be used the year round for gardening, housework, yard, painling. gloves, are washable and can be used the round for gardening, housework, yard, painting,

furnace, garage, etc.
Sizes for WOMEN (small, medium, large)—for
Men (small, medium, large). Price \$1.65 per pair.



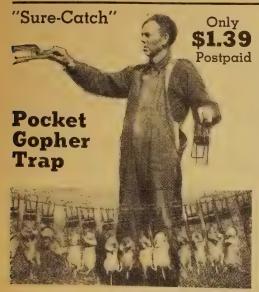
### Home & Garden **Knee Protectors**

A necessity when you work kneeling on ground or floor. Your knees are cushioned in thick, soft sponge rubber, reinforced with extra strong molded rubber where they contact ground or floor. Fully adjustable to fit any size knees, form fitting, kneecupped to stay in place either over or under clothing. Equipped with adjustable non-slip straps. Designed for greatest comfort and durability. Now you can garden in comfort. Heavy Duty Type (shown below): \$2.25 per pair, postpaid.

Light weight ladies model, \$1.65 per pair, postpaid



## Pest Destroyers, Traps, Yard Tools & Household Helps



Put a stop to annoying damage to your lawn, garden or fields caused by pocket gophers. Some counties pay bounties to check these farm robbers and boys make money trapping them. Here's the trap that gets 'em nine times out of ten! It's easy to set, harmless to handle, safe around children or pets, and you know when you've got the marauder! You're never sure with dangerous poisons. \$1.39 each, 6 for \$7.45 postpaid.

## AUTOMATIC MOUSE TRAP DOES NOT KILL

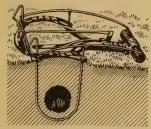


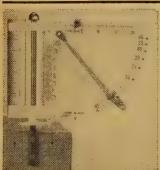
#### Traps up to 20 MICE at one setting

Catches mice by the dozens! Effective, foolproof, sanitary. Just wind it up, place it on floor, and empty it every few days. Simply eject trapped mice into water without touching them, or immerse the trap to destroy them. The lively trapped mice attract others into trap, Lures them without bait. Sturdily built, all metal. fully galvanized, guaranteed, lasts for years. \$4.65 postpaid.

#### NASH MOLE TRAP

Recommended by U. S. Biological Sur-vey. Clods of soil O. S. Biological Survey. Clods of soil or stones won't prevent a sure catch if properly set. Catches mole around forward flippers. Directions included. Only \$3.45.





WEATHER CHECK Measures Rainfall Temp. Wind Speed Wind **Direction** 

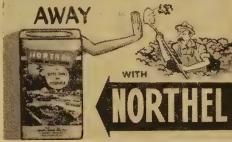
This extremely useful but inexpensive gadget is practically a complete weather station. It measures amount of rainfall, temperature, wind speed and wind direction. Easily attached to fence post or clothes line post with 2 screws. Of high impact plastic. Only \$1.50 postpaid.

## for BUNCHING Vegetables **TYING Plants** 'EMS 3

JUST A Home Pkg: Twist 'Ems TWIST OF (8 inch) THE WRIST postpaid

Strong, dark green tapes with wire reinforcing—the perfect plant-tie for plants, vines, shrubs. 7-inch size only: 250 for 75c, 500 for \$1.35, 1.000 for \$2.25, postpaid.
Utility Twist 'Ems, 16-inch size, for bunching asparagus and other vegetables or for tying grape vines: 250 for \$1.25, 500 for \$1.95, 1.000 for \$3.65 postpaid. 250 ft. continuous roll only \$1.10 ppd.

## KEEP CESSPOOL TROUBLE



### Suburban & Country Dwellers

NORTHEL Reactivator keeps septic tank and cesspool clean. A bacteria concentrate breaks up solids and grease—prevents overflow, backup, odors. Regular use saves costly pumping or digging. Simply mix dry powder in water, flush down toilet. Non-poisonous, non caustic. Guaranteed to reactivate septic tank, cesspool. Also keeps indoor plumbing traps and drain pipes free of waste and odors. 6 months supply (23 ozs.) only \$2.95 ppd.

## **CLEAR SLUGGISH SEWERS** CARTRIDGES Roots Chemically They Destroy

Don't risk plugged sewers. Keep your sewer flowing free and clean with MQ Sewer Cartridges. MQ is the only device of its kind that destroys tree roots and other organic material which clog sewers. No harm to shrub or tree.

shrub or tree.

SIMPLE—INEXPENSIVE—SAFE
Just flush MQ Cartridges down the toilet
or clean-out once a month—the chemical
in MQ does the work.

Successful since 1940 Only \$2,50 for box of six POSTPAID

#### IT'S EASY TO **CLEAR ROOTS from** CLOGGED SEWERS

Simply pour R-D crystals into toilet bowl, flush, and roots are chemically destroyed and prevented from re-entering sewer. A 2-lb. application keeps all roots out at least 6 months. It's safe

-contains no lye, caustics, acid, won't harm shrubs, trees, septic tank, city system, sewer pipes. R-D Root Destroyer: 2 lb. pkg.— \$3.95 ppd.



#### FRUIT PICKER only \$1.25 ppd.

Of heavy galvanized wire, easily fitted to a fitted to a pole. Gathers apples, pears, peaches,



### MODERN ALUMINUM TRELLIS

A new flexible trellis material that can be used anywhere around the house, porch or garage. It's simply hung from the eaves and pegged to the ground. It never rusts, never needs painting, lasts indefinitely. Attractive, silver-like finish accents the beauty of foliage, but more important, it reflects sun's heat to prevent burning delicate tendrils of climbing vines. Provides numerous surfaces

ware in-cluded. 10 ft. long, 24" wide \$4.95 postpaid.





60-inch x 72-inch, 75c 60-inch x 96-inch, 95c 160-inch x 180-inch, \$1.35

## IROQUOIS PRUNING SAW



22 inches long, 71/2 inches high

Amazingly fast — only 3 or 4 strokes to cut l inch limbs! Efficient, light weight design permits fast, almost effortless one hand pruning in tight spots. Sturdy tubular steel frame, rubber grip, finest electric furnace steel adjustable tension blade cuts on both forward and backward strokes. (Extra blades \$1.00 each.) Complete saw \$2.95 prepaid.
Heavy Duty 30" size \$3.65 complete, ppd.



No other pruning tool equals its effortless per-formance! Precision ground alloy steel "V" blade acts on soft metal anvil. Easily cuts tough 3/4" branches with clean, quick-healing slice that

branches with clean, quic won't injure bark. \$3.25 ppd.

## All-Purpose Garden Hoe



Here's the handiest tool ever invented for cultivating, weeding, or mulching! It has just the right feel and balance to do skillful weeding without fatigue. Once you've worked with it, you become as much attached to it as the fisherman to his favorite red ds much attached to it as the fisherman to his favorite rod, or the golfer to his favorite club. It's fun to flick Dandelion from the turf, or mulch around evergreens, shrubs, perennials. Goose-neck shank permits close cultivation. Amazingly efficient. Weighs only 1½ lbs. Each \$1.85, postpaid.

## NEW REMEDIES for YARD and GARDEN PROBLEMS!



#### RINGWOOD REPELLENT New Rabbit & Rodent Stopper!

Rabbit & Rodent Stopper!

Do rabbits, mice or other animals damage your fruit or shade trees, berry bushes or shrubs in winter? Here's truly effective protection, developed by U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service research. One spraying lasts all winter. Protective coating doesn't freeze — adheres in all weather, and has proved highly effective in preventing gnawing animals from chewing, nipping, girdling trees. Tested, recommended by Minn. Extension Service. 5 oz. Push-Button aerosol (treats up to ten small 30 inch trees or six 10 to 12 ft. trees) \$1.25 ppd. Giant 12 oz. Push-Button aerosol, \$2.50 ppd. Pint can (treats up to 150 trees 1 to 2 yrs. old, or thirty 5 yr. old trees) \$2.95. Quart \$4.50 ppd.



FAST HEALING! Designed for rapid and easy treatment of pruning, grafting and other wounds of woody plants. No

mess — just push button on the handy pressurized can. It sets quickly, forming a protective seal while the natural healing takes place.

Convenient Push-Button can, only \$1.98 postpaid.

#### TREE TANGLEFOOT

Here's positive protection against crawling insect pests in your lawn trees. A non-drying sticky compound applied in a band to circle trunk, prevents
climbing insects from
reaching foliage, buds,
fruit. Effective for months
in all weather. 6 oz. tube 98c, 1 lb. can \$1.59 ppd.

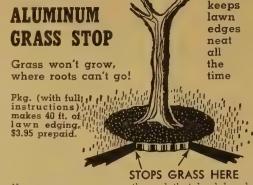




#### TREE PAINT

A black antiseptic tree wound dressing containing an effective fungicide for use on major tree injuries or minor pruning cuts. Protects against weather, decay, pests and infection. Aids rapid healing, safeguards health of your valuable shade trees. 1/2 pint 90c, pint \$1.60 postpaid.





Now you can permanently end that back-breaking hand trimming around trees, shrubs, flower beds, borders; along fences, hedges, driveways. Simply install this rust proof Grass Barrier, it bars grass from spreading, keeps lawn edges neat. Mow right over it, to trim edges. Gives your lawn that neat, well-kept "estate" look! Cuts lawn work in half! A 40-foot ribbon of corrugated aluminum 4 inches deep. Easy to install. Just drive down to soil level. Price above.

#### **STOPGRASS** Chemical Trimmer





#### ... for DANDELION, **PLANTAIN** and Other **Broad Leaved Weeds**

Spray your lawn with Improved Weedone containing powerful new 2, 4, 5-T PLUS 2, 4-D! Kills over 100 weed varieties and woody plants without killing grass! No vapor injury to nearby susceptible garden plants or shrubs. It's easy to clear lawn of unsightly weeds. Harmless to people and pets. 8 oz. can (for

people and pets. 8 oz. can (for 1500 sq. ft.) \$1.00. Quart \$2.75, Gallon \$6.75 ppd.

#### FOR NITE CRAWLERS

Try DIELDRIN for "bumpy lawn" trouble due to nite crawlers. Simply spread these granules over lawn, wash down with garden hose, or apply before rain,—this destroys nite crawlers! Also kills other soil and turf insects including Japanese beetle grubs, white grubs, cut worms, army worms, sod webworms, chinch bugs, sow bugs, snails, slugs, ants. Controls onion maggot. 1 lb. trial can (treats 400 sq. ft. of lawn) \$2.39.

Dogs Ruin Your Evergreens?



Dogs stay away from anything sprayed with SUDBURY LIQUID CHAPERONE, for outdoor use. You

STOPS DOG DAMAGE
flowers, vegetables, garbage cans, car, etc.
Harmless, does not show, also effective with cats, other animals. Won't dissolve in rain—one application lasts 2-3 weeks. 8 oz. \$1.39, qt. \$3.95, ppd.

RIDZ Dog Repellent in ready-to-use 12 oz. push-button aerosol, only \$1.49 postpaid.



#### HIDDEN ROPE KEEPS ANIMALS AWAY FROM YOUR PLANTS

Dogs, cats, rabbits are kept away by chemically treated Repel-O-Rope when inconspicuously circled thru foliage of evergreens, flower beds, vegetable plots. Animals shun its long lasting odor. Can contains 110 ft. \$1.75 ppd.

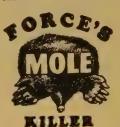
#### DOWNSPOUT ATTACHMENT DISPERSES RAIN WATER!

Now it's easy to avoid damp basements, cracked masonry walls, gouged-out mud-dy lawns. Simply lawns. Simply tach RAIN-



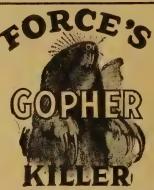
dy lawns:
attach RAINDRAIN to downspout, roll it up
out of the way, and when it rains, it AUTOMATICALLY unrolls to 12 ft. length. The last 4 feet
have holes top and bottom for soak and spray
action. Carries water away from foundation to have holes top and bottom for soak and spray action. Carries water away from foundation to gently spray and soak the lawn 8 to 12 ft. away! When rains stop, just roll it up out of the way for lawn mowing. RAIN-DRAIN: \$1.98 each 3 for \$5.25 persing! \$5.25 postpaid.

#### KILLS MOLES IN THEIR HOLES!



No Traps—No Gas—No Exposed Poison. Made in easy-to-use pellet form, from the moles natural food, but contains a poison deadly to moles—kills them in the ground where they live. To eradicate entire family of moles, place pellets in visible runways at 2 foot intervals. Moles readily seek these pellets, eat them and die. Treat new runways as they appear. pellets \$1.00, postpaid.

75 pellets for 50c, 185 pellets \$1.00, postpaid.



No, traps, no gas. No bait to mix! Here is the result of extensive research, made in ready-to-use pelletseasy to use. Has no harmful effect on soil or vegetation. Reaches and kills Pocket Gophers right in the ground. Guaranteed effective. 60 ground. Guaranteed effective. 60 Force's Gopher Pellets for 50c, 175 for \$1.00, postpaid.

#### Long-Burning RODENT BOMB

Kill moles, gophers, rats, ground squirrels, ground hogs in their holes, tunnels, burrows — with this gas type cartridge. Just light fuse, insert in tunnel, gas penetrates runways, kills rodents in the ground. 3 for 75c. 6 for \$1.35, 12 for \$2.45 postpaid.



## Don't Dig-Chop or Blast

bor! Just insert the new hemical compound — MAGIC STUMP REMOV-"MAGIC STUMP REMOVER" to any ugly tree stumps—old or new Decomposes fibres down to root tips for EASY REMOVAL. (8 oz. size enough for one stump). 8 oz. can \$1.50, 16 oz. \$2.50, 3 lb. \$5.00 ppd.



## Newest Miracle-Working Garden Chemicals & Plant Propagators

### **NEW SUPER BOOST'EM**



### Soluble - Fortified PLANT FOOD & Plant Starter

This ultra high analysis formula with 79% plant food, gives remarkable refood, gives remarkable results in transplanting tomatoes, cabbage, strawberries, bedding plants, etc., and a surprising boost to growing plants including roses, shrubs, perennials, house plants including roses, shrubs, perennials, house plants also applied direct to garden seeds when planted. As plant starter, it reduces transplanting shock, making planting shock, making planting shock, beautiful of the start of the s

### **Blossom-Set for Early Tomatoes**



Pick ripe tomatoes weeks earlier than your neighbor! Get bigger yields of larger, meatier tomatoes, — seedless tomatoes too! Just spray newly opened blossoms with this pressurized push-button can. Keeps early blossoms on plants, starts immediate fruit development by chemical stimulation of the flowers. Usually early blossoms drop off without setting fruit. But now you can set fruit chemically, instead of depending on pollen. That's why so many of these big meaty tomatoes are practically seedless! 12 oz. Blossom-Set push-button can \$1.85 ppd.

Blossom Set: to mix your own spray: 4 oz. (for 1 gal.) 90c, pint (makes 4 gals.)

## CIBBERELLIC ACID

**Amazing Growth Stimulant** You've Read About!

You've Read About!

Produces spectacular effects on growth of flowers, ornamentals, trees, grasses. Makes some flowering plants grow up to three times normal size, with bigger, earlier blooms. Plants responding to Gibberellic Acid: African Violets, Geraniums, Roses, Mums, Snaps, Dahlias, Petunias, Salvias, Glads, Hydrangea, Ivy, also Red Maples. Now you can experiment with this new chemical. Order this easy-to-use pushbutton aerosol container — no mixing, no measuring, no sprayer needed. 6 oz. GIBBERELLIC aerosol. \$1.29, Giant 15 oz. size \$1.98 postpaid.



#### TRANSPLANTONE

HORMONE — Vitamin stimulant "does things" to plants. Mix with water — apply to soil. Makes better lawn turf, plants, tree and seedling roots. Use for transplanting VEGETABLES — tomatoes start quickly — no wilting or setback, loz. makes 10 gallons transplant solution or 1,000 gals. watering solution. 1/2 oz. pkt., postpaid 35c. 3 oz. can. postpaid \$1.25. 1 lb. can \$4.00 ppd.

### ROOTONE



Hormone Wonder Powder Hormone Wonder Powder for seeds, cuttings, bulbs. Luxurious lawns, 2 weeks earlier—bigger, earlier flowers, garden crops! Seeds dusted with Rootone germinate faster, root deeper, make stronger, healthier seedlings. Cuttings dipped in Rootone speedily develop surprising roots. Free booklet on request. Trial pkg 35c. ing roots. Free booklet on request. Trial pkg. 35c. 2-oz. jar (treats 20 lbs. lawn seed) \$1.25. Pound \$5.00.

#### START YOUR OWN TREES, SHRUBS AND RARE HOUSE PLANTS . . .



A revolutionary way to AIRLAYER, - ancient Chinese method of plant reproduction is now speeded up chemically!



#### NEW PLANTS FAST WITH AIRWRAP!

It's easy to start new plants from expensive trees, shrubs, plants, in 2 to 6 weeks—extra plants from your favorite house plants in days! AIRLAYERING means growing roots on the branches of living trees or plants, then cutting off and planting this rooted branch! Best method known for getting BIG trees or plants quickly. Try this seed-less, soil-less method on fruit or shade trees, flowering shrubs, roses, berry plants, vines, house plants. Complete AIRWRAP KIT, contains everything you'll need, with instructions, \$2.25 postpaid.

## **NITRA-GROW PottingMix**



A better pre-fertilized planting mix developed by university soils specialists. Remarkable results on African Violets, Ivies, Philodendrons, Begonias, all common house plants, flowers and vines. A balanced blend of peat humus, plant foods, vermiculite, trace elements. It's not a fertilizer, soil conditioner or additive — you throw away the dirt and re-pot your plant in Nitra-Grow. Grows larger, more intensly colored flowers. 1/2 gallon pkg. 98c postpaid. gallon pkg. 98c postpaid.

#### "No Damp Off" **SPHAGNUM** MOSS Starts seed fasterl

Recommended by U. S. Dept. of Argiculture to germinate and grow seeds safely, easily, quickly. Works like magic without constant care, without seed treatments to prevent seedling diseases. Produces fast germination, no danger of over-watering, produces tremendous roots, clean, easy to transplant. Trial Pkg., (fills 8 to 12 flower pots or several small pans) \$1.10 ppd. 2 bu, bag, not prepaid by freight or express, \$3.65.



## VERMICULITE

Perfect growing medium that starts seeds and cuttings faster, grows them bigger, stronger, with up to 100% stand and phenomenal root growth. Holds many times its weight in water plus oxygen. Prevents drowning, "damping off" and other diseases. A featherweight soil for seeding flats, an ideal insulated garden mulch, ventilates heavy clay soil, ideal for forcing winter blooming bulbs. ½ pk. postpaid 95c, 2 cubic ft. bag by exp. not ppd. \$2.35.



## Jish dertilizer ALL FISH



Here's 100% organic (all fish) liquid plant food with no fish odor. Pint makes 32 gallons plant food that's safe for leaf or root feeding of all plant life. One of the world's oldest sources of plant food. Marvelous results on flowering plants, lawns, vegetables, berries and garden flowers. Here's nature's complete plant food, concentrated in easy-to-use, odorless emulsion. Feed your plants nature's way to wake up color and big lush healthy blooms! Tablespoonful makes a gallon. 4 oz. bottle 57c; 8 oz. 89c; pint \$1.39; qt. \$2.39. postpaid.

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### MAKE FERTILIZER

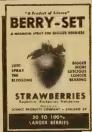
from Grass Clippings, Leaves, Garbage, etc.

ACTIVO makes rich fertilizer humus easily, quickly, cheaply from kitchen waste, sawdust, garden rubbish, etc. Also stretches commercial fertilizer—makes it go six times farther. It activates potting and garden soil. Reduces odors in outdoor toilets, making rich, easily handled garden humus. Transforms waste materials intovaluable fertilizer by bacterial action. Does not kill earthworms. Just sprinkle on compost pile—it speeds decomposition, makes rich, odorless humus that builds up soil, without strong chemicals. No. 2 size (for 450 lbs. compost) ppd. \$1.35; No. 7 size (for 1,800 lbs. compost) ppd. \$3.35; No. 20 size (for 3½ tons compost) \$6.00 ppd. 400 miles only. Beyond add 50c for postage.



## Try Organic Gardening!

NEW Double Cultured Vitaloam Soil Rejuvenator—returns soil to virgin fertility. No other method produces such luscious fruits, such healthful vegetables! Used by specialists coast to coast. 'Clean', black, and velvety soft, Vitaloam changes soil instantly, can safely touch bare roots and seeds. Mixed with soil, it makes world's finest potting mixture for African Violets, other house plants. 28 oz. Pkg. Vitaloam \$1.10, 70 oz. Pkg. \$2.45 postpaid in U. S. 18 lb. bag \$4.65 postpaid



### **BIGGER BERRIES**

Spray blossoms with Berry Set for bigger, sweeter, meatier berries with less seeds. Treated plants bear more fruit and over a longer season. Effective on many kinds of berries, 1 oz. pkg. (makes 4 gallons spray) 50c, 3 oz. \$1.00, 12 oz. \$3.00



## KILL WEEDS as

they SPROUT!

A single CRAG application keeps troublesome weeds out of your flower beds, vegetable garden, strawberry patch or flower and shrub borders for 3 to 6 weeks, when used as directed. Also kills crab grass seed in lawns. Safe, easy to use with sprinkler can or sprayer. 4 oz. (treats 50 x 60 ft. garden) \$1.50, lb. \$4.50 ppd.

## NEWEST GARDEN CHEMICALS, BUG & BLIGHT CONTROLS



### BOOSTROY

Double Action

#### PLANT STARTER & **CUTWORM KILLER**

Here's the greatest protection ever offered in one product for setting out plants of tomato, cabbage, cauliflower, broccoli, and brussels sprouts! It's a superior plant starter to protect your newly set transplanting shock or setback, AND—it contains science's most effective cutworm killer to protect plants from cutworm attack! It's a great double-hazard insurance policy for your transplants, even in the severest cutworm seasons. Be sure to try it. Just water in your plants with a half cup of BOOSTROY solution per plant, when transplanting 8 oz. can (makes 5 to 8 gallons) \$1.00 postpaid. bag \$4.75 postpaid.

## FUMI-SOIL CAPSULE KILLS SOIL INSECTS for 1 YEAR!



These capsules contain pure ethylene dibromide, recognized as the most efficient soil fumigant known. Simply insert capsule in soil, and when gelatin shell dissolves, a gas is generated which kills insects infesting the soil. Leaves no residue in soil. Does not taint or change flavor of root crops. Capsules can be safely stored indefinitely. For complete control, place capsules 15 inches apart in soil. Pkg. of 24 capsules \$1.45, 100 for \$3.95, 200 for \$6.95 postpaid.

## Wormy Crops?

## NOMAG for **Root Maggots**

Now you can avoid having wormy now you can avoid having wormy radishes in your garden. Protect your carrots, onions, turnips, cabbage, and cauliflower from the usual Root Maggot damage, by simply dusting NOMAG on the soil. Home Garden Size, 60c ppd. 4 lbs. bag \$2.95 ppd.





#### TREAT VEGETABLE AND FLOWER SEEDS

New ARASAN is the most modern disinfectant for all garden seeds. In actual tests, untreated seeds that produced a 64% stand, showed 83% stand after dusting with Arasan! Nearly 30% increase—it pays! Non-irritating, easy to apply. I oz. pkt. postpaid 60c. 8-oz. can \$1.50 ppd., 2-lb. can \$3.20 ppd.



## SEMESAN BEL

#### FOR SEED POTATOES

A Semesan Bel dip before planting will protect potatoes from scab and other diseases, insure a good stand of healthy plants and a much higher yield. Price: 3-oz. pkg. (treats 9 to 12 bu.) \$1.45, i-lb. can (treats 60 to 80 bu.) \$3.30 postpaid.



#### NEW WINNER Compressed Air SPRAYER

pump handle (no strap). Ideal for a few fruit trees, potato or berry patch, garden crops, 2,4-D lawn spraying, dairy barn, poultry or hog house. Has 1½ gallon galvanized tank, easy-to-fill funnel top, chemical resistant pump and hose. 12" brass extension tube, detachable brass nozzle adjusts any spray pattern from fog to distance stream. ONLY \$8.79 postpaid. (Same in 3½ gallon size with strap: \$9.89 postpaid)

#### SOIL ACIDITY TESTER -

Makes 25 tests for acidity. I cluded in larger kits belo Acidity Tester only, \$1.98 ppd.



### La Motte SOIL TEST KITS

Some plants grow best in acid (sour) soil, others in alkaline (sweet) soil. A simple 1-minute test (picture at upper right) tells you whether your soil needs Lime or Alum and how much for your particular plants. These scientific Kits also enable you to test soil for Nitrogen, Phosphorous, and Potash just like professionals do. If your garden is deficient in any of these vital elements, the tests and simple instructions tell you just what kind of fertilizer to use to help you get the most abundantly productive garden you've ever had. Easy to use. Made by leading maker of scientific soil test equipment. Free booklet, KNOW YOUR SOIL with each Kit. Model S makes 60 individual tests, only \$5.95; Model L makes 100 individual tests, only \$8.95; Deluxe Professional Model BL (400 tests), only \$29.85 all postpaid. Some plants grow best in acid (sour) soil, others Deluxe Professiona \$29.85 all postpaid.

#### KELTHANE KILLS CYCLAMEN MITE ON YOUR STRAWBERRY PLANTS!

RED RICH strawberry yields and fruit quality have been impaired in recent years by Cyclamen Mite which prefers the high sugar content of Red Rich berries, to all others. Extension services recommend spraying with KELTHANE to control this damage. It's now approved for application right to picking time. 1/2 lb. Pkg. (Makes 25 gals.) \$1.35 ppd.



#### SAFE NON-POISON **RED ARROW** GARDEN SPRAY

An effective insect killer for house and garden plants that's non-toxic to humans and warm blooded animals. No dangerous fumes, no harmful residue on plants, iruits, vegetables, flowers, soil. Contains Pyrethrum, Rotenone, Piperonyl. Kills Aphids, Cabbage Worms, Japanese, Bean and Cucumber Beetles, Squash Bugs, White Flies, others. 4 oz. (makes 4 gallons) \$1.25. Pint (for 16 gals.) \$3.50 postpaid.



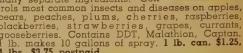
Most versatile sprayer madel Adjusts instantly from fog to long range spray that reaches tops of 30 ft. trees! Sprays at any angle, handles any solution, at high pressure. Ideal for fruit trees, shrubs, flowers, lawns, farm jobs. All brass seamless pump. brass roto-spray nozzle adjustable to extra fine, fine, medium, long distance. Equipped with ½ gallon jar, interchangeable with standard fruit jars. Save on shipping — supply your own jar.

HYDRA-GUN SENIOR: has extra high pressure, easy-action trombone type pump that sprays on both "push" and "pull" strokes to deliver maximum volume and distance. Only \$6.45 without jar, postpaid. (With jar \$6.95 postpaid.)

HYDRA-GUN JR.: sprays on "push" stroke only. Only \$5.45 without jar, postpaid. (With jar, \$5.95 postpaid.)

### MASTER FARMER FRUIT SPRAY

For you "home-garden" fruit growers, who have only a few fruit trees and a small berry patch, here's the ideal one-package insecticide-fungicide spray that's casy to use. It saves deciphering complicated spray schedules, saves buying, measuring, mixing many separate ingredients. Controls most common insects and diseases on apples, pears, peaches, plums, cherries, raspberries, blackberries, strawberries, grapes, currants, gooseberries. Contains DDT, Malathion, Captan. I lb. makes 10 gallons of spray. I lb. can. \$1.25, 4 lbs. \$3.75 postpaid.





## **DUPONT'S COMPLETE**

ROSE DUST or SPRAY
To grow beautiful roses, here's all the
pest protection you need. Controls
practically ALL rose insects, fungus
diseases, mites, yet it's easy on delicate buds, foliage. This InsecticideFungicide-Miticide combination (used
as dust or spray) contains methoxychlor, lindane, Fermate, sulfur, miticide. 8 oz. Squeeze Duster \$1.49, Lb.
can \$1.69, 3 Lb. bag \$3.75 ppd.

#### DUPONT'S COMPLETE FLORAL DUST or SPRAY

Safe to use on tenderest blooms yet very effective against severe insect and fungus attacks. Combines methoxychlor, Fermate, sulfur, rotenone. Can be applied as a spray or dust. 8 oz. Squeeze Duster \$1.19, Lb. can \$1.35, 3 lbs. \$2.95 ppd.



TOMATO

FRUIT SPRAY

#### **FARMER'S TOMATO BLIGHT & INSECT DUST**

Grow periect, smooth, solid all red tomatoes, free from blemishes! Here's the most effective new chemical formula to control Early Blight, Late Blight and Septoria Leaf Spot which are usually responsible for so many spoiled fruits on your tomato plants. Merely dust your plants from this sifter can every 10-days. Also controls most insects. 1 lb. sifter can 85c, 4 lbs. \$2.45 postpaid.



#### KILL SQUASH BUGS with SABA DUST!

Here's the ONE insecticide that will really control the hard-to-kill Squash Bugs and stink bugs. Also effective on chinch bugs and Boxelder bugs. l lb. sifter can 85c postpaid.

#### NEW "SUPER FORT" BUG DUST Gets 'em all!

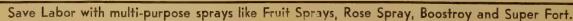
MORE killing power, effective on MORE species of insects, yet LESS TOXIC to plants, than any product we've tested! In fact it controls all the garden insect pests we've encountered, except dark aphids and red spider. Gives excellent control of flea beetle, leaf hopper, green aphid, cabbage worm, cut worm, cucumber beetle, psyllid, tomato fruit worm, pea weevil, corn borer, the hard-tokill stink bug, and many others. Furthermore, it can safely be used on all garden plants, even tomatoes, cukes, melons, and squash which are injured by DDT. The best insect weapon we've seen. 1-lb. sifter can 75c, 4-lb. bag \$2.25, postpaid.



#### 5% DDT KILLER DUST

An inexpensive and highly effective insect-killing dust for use on cabbage, cauliflower, broccoli, before heads form. Controls cabbage worm and other insects on any plants where disease control is not needed, and where dusted portions are not eaten. Recommended for thrip control on gladiola bulbs — see page 56 Do not use on vine crops such as cucumbers, squash, melons. 1-1b. sifter cannister 75c, 4-1b. bag \$1.95 postpaid.





## Practical Aids for Home Gardeners & Market Growers



#### IN-THE-ROW PLASTIC GREENHOUSE Complete Re-usable Prefabricated Kit

Grow vegetables, flowers weeks earlier and later! Grow vegetables, flowers weeks earlier and later! Plastic covering admits sun's warmth, shuts out freezing temperatures, strong winds, pounding rains. Protects cool weather plants like lettuce down to 10°, tender tomato plants to 30° Ventilator openings prevent overheating on hot days. These protected plants flourish surprisingly.

No. 5 KIT: covers bed 5 ft. long, 1 ft. wide, 1 ft. high, \$1.95 ppd. No. 36 KIT: covers 25 ft. of row, 1 ft. wide, 1 ft. high, \$4.95 ppd. No. 54 KIT: covers 25 ft. of row, 2 ft. wide, 1½ ft. high, \$7.50 ppd.

## Earlier Crops with HOTKAPS!





HOTKAPS are waxed paper cones, easily set out over seed or growing plants. They quard against rain, frost, cold, wind, hail, birds and insects, and maintain a perfect mulch. Yield is increased and hastened. Flowers and vegetables mature two to three weeks earlier.

Home Pkg. Hotkaps:		Prepaid
20 Hotkaps with fibre	setter	85c
100 Hotkaps with fibre		
250 Hotkaps with fibre	setter	7.50
Hotkaps Only:	Postpaid.	Not ppd.
500 Hotkaps	\$12.50	\$11.50
1000 Hotkaps		
Hotkaps Setters: Steel \$ Shipping weights: 1000	1.95, Fibre 20c p	

#### PAXTON HOT HOUSES



TO 4 WEEKS EARLIER
THE MARKET AND
P PRICES FOR YOUR
PRODUCTS

Here's "early planting" insurance for home and market growers! Hot Houses permit safe, early planting and force growth to bring crops to market' 2 to 4 weeks earlier for greatest cash return. Their large size (12 inch diameter, 11 inch height) permits maximum growth. Wire reinforced. Temperatures under hot houses remain 10 to 20 degrees warmer, and heat is

TOP PRICES FOR POUR 10 to 20 degrees warmer, and heat is retained long after 300 to 350 an hour. Packed 25 per carton (with cardboard setter) for \$1.45. 100 for \$4.25 ppd. Hot Houses only, not prepaid: 500 for \$12.45, 1.000 for \$23.75. Metal setter \$3.45. (Wt. 37 lbs. per 1,000.)

## Automatic **Transplanter**

A practical tool for transplanting Tomato Plants, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Pepper, Eggplant, Sweet Potato and Tobacco Plants. (Not recommended for Strawberry Plants.) Each plant is set, watered and covered in one operation, without bruising or damaging the plants, without stooping or lame backs. Enables one man to set 8,000 to 10,000 plants per day. Transplanting losses are reduced. The tiny roots are sucked into the ground, and plants start to grow at once, especially if Boost'Em Plant Starter is used in the water reservoir. Price: \$5.85 postpaid 300 miles. Beyond postpaid 300 miles. Beyond add 50c for postage.





#### JACK POT — the Pot that you Plant!

No transplanting shock! Roots grow right thru pot walls. Provides ideal root aeration and organic peat to improve your soil. Made of pressed peat with nutrients added. They'll do wonders for your plants! Write for larger quantity prices.

Postpaid	25	50	100	200
21/4 inch round 3 inch round	\$ .75 1.35	\$1.45 2.65	\$2.75 3.95	\$5.45 7.95
4 inch round	2.75	4.65	7.75	14.65
21/4 inch square 3 inch square	1.10 1.75	1.95 3.25	3.75 4.95	6.95 9.95

#### Fiber FLOWER POTS

Adapted for growing, transplanting or shipping. Made of tough, waterproof paper, eliminating breakage. More economical than clay pots.

#### **NEW VITA POTS**

Here's a brand new, light weight, Nutrient-Treated pot that's tough enough for BOTH—growing and shipping in the same pot. Made of waterproof, mold-resistant fibre, treated with plant food to insure vigorous, well balanced growth for many weeks. Weight: 3 inch, 40 lbs. per 1000.

25 100 10000

1000 Not Ppd.

rices:		Prepaid	Prepaid	1
inch,	Vita	.\$0.95 . 1.25	\$2.75 3.75	-

#### BIRD RED POTS

\$19.15 28.25

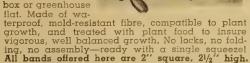
Not quite as heavy as Vita Pots — will hold several weeks. Used extensively for transplanting and shipping. Reinforced disc in bottom. Weight: 3 inch 22 lbs. per 1000; 4 inch 48 lbs. per 1000.

Prices:		25 Prepaid	100 Prepaid	Not Ppd.
3 inch, 4 inch,	red	\$0.75	\$1.65 2.60	\$ 9.95 15.50

## PLANT BANDS

#### **Nutrient Added**

These square, open-bottom, plant bands are ideal for growing potted plants. They can be used in any shallow wooden box or greenhouse



VITA-BAND 10: For short growing periods. Usually contains root growth up to 8 or 10 weeks. Remove at transplanting time. (Wt. 20 lbs. per 1000.) 50 for 85c, 500 for \$3.85, postpaid.

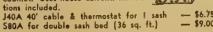
VITA-BAND D: Same except need not be removed when transplanting. Slight pressure cracks band which disintegrates in soil. (Wt. 14 lbs. per 1000.) 50 for 75c, 500 for \$3.65, postpaid.

QUANTITY PRICES: VITA-BANDS 10 or D: 1,000 for \$5.50, 2,000 for \$10.75, by Express or Freight, not prepaid.

## GRO-QUICK BED HEATER

SEED UP IN 30 HOURS
ROOT CUTTINGS IN 6 DAYS
CUT GERMINATION TIME BY 3/3
TRANSPLANT 2 WEEKS SOONER

You, too, can get these results. For hotbed - cold frame - bench - flet - cabinet. Uses house current. Instruc-



#### RO-HO WORKS as you WALK! Weeds - Hoes - Cultivates - Mulches

Here's just the tool if you have more hand hoeing than you want, but not enough for power equipment. Easy as mowing the lawn! Every tooth in every blade, digs the soil like a spade! 40 rotating hoe points and 5 cultivator teeth do the job 10 times faster than hoe and rake. Cleans out weeds, works crusty or lumpy soil to loose mulch or extra fine seed bed, scuffic knife cuts weeds—spreads mulch, 5 shovels cultivate deep, one digs trench for seeding.

Works in any soil

—we use it in our test gardens—we're convinced





## KILLS WEEDS - SAVES CULTIVATING

Kill weeds this safe, easy way without chemicals. Just lay this black plastic between garden rows, anchor with clumps of soil. It cuts off light so weeds can't grow. Keeps soil moisture and soil warmth in ground to promote faster growth. 100 warmth in graft. rolls; 12" w \$5.95 ppd. ground to promote faster growt wide \$2.50, 18" wide \$3.50, 36"

#### BRITISH SEED SOWER

A fine quality, well designed seed sower made in England. Adjustable for any small vegetable or flower seeds. Sows singly, or broadcast. Saves time, thinning and transplanting. Only 60c postpaid.





smallest to the largest of seeds. It's handy to use, gives professional results.

Prevents waste of tiny seeds, reduces crowding and tedious thinning of seedlings. Sturdy construction of cadmium plated steel \$1.10 ppd.

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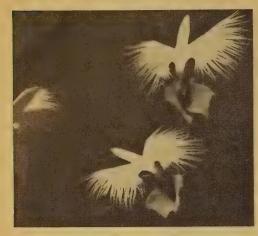
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#### **PLANT-RITE** ROW SEEDER

Takes the backache out of planting vegetable seeds. No more stooping, kneeling, crawling. Plants seeds faster, spaces them evenly, accurately, for best growing conditions and avoids thinning. Stayes time lather seed Sim. Saves time, labor, seed. Simply load seeds into compartment, dial proper setting, push seeder along the row as you walk. Plants beets, beans, carrots, cabbage, lettuce, onions, peas, parsnips, radish, spinach, chard, turnips, tomatoes and others of similar size. Only \$4.95 ppd.

## GARDEN & HOUSE PLANT NOVELTIES



#### THE FABULOUS EGRET FLOWER

A remarkably lovely flower from the Orient, never before offered here. Graceful, slender 15-inch stems each carry two to five dainty flowers up to 2 inches across, of purest silky white, distinctively fringed to give a startling resemblance to an egret or crane in graceful flight. Long green spurs enhance their delicate beauty. Makes novel, longlasting cut flowers that everyone talks about! Grow them from tiny bulbs (the size of a beam) either in the garden, or as a potted winter-blooming house plant. Hardy below zero. 5 bulbs (described above) for \$1.00. dozen for \$2.00 postpaid. ing house plant. Hardy below zero. 5 bulbs (described above) for \$1.00, dozen for \$2.00 postpaid.



#### ROSE BUD BEGONIA

Extra double ball-shaped flowers on bushy plants with bright waxy green leaves.

Double Red Wax Begonia. Each 95c.
Double Rose. Each 95c. Double White. Each 75c.

"ROSE BUD" BARGAIN

PLANTS (1 each, red, white and rose.) Postpaid for \$2.39



#### FASCINATING PASSION FLOWER

Giant 4-inch pink to purple flowers, so beautiful they seem unreal! Ancient legends say stamens represent 5 wounds suffered by the Saviour; 3 pistils — nails in hands and crossed feet; filament — crown of thorns; petals — 10 apostles at crucifixion. This tender perennial vine grows 10-20 ft. on trellis, can be potted for over-wintering indoors. Potted plants \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.50 postpaid



#### DATE PALM

This beautiful Pigmy Date Palm produces edible fruit right in your living room, and it's a most attractive decorator type foliage plant that grows 2 to 3 feet tall to provide a smart decorator effect in those popular modern floor style planters. Small potted plants \$1.00, 3 for \$2.85, postpaid.

#### **BABY TEARS VINE**



A compact, dense plant with tiny leaves. Forms a mass of moss-like foliage. Fine for the table or shaded windows. Requires only plenty of water. Each, 45c; 3



#### DWARF LEMON

to-grow Ponderosa Lemons make interesting 'round house plants. Lovely white, fragrant rs in winter, followed by large lemons, exlemonade. Pot plants \$1.00 each. 2 for \$1.85, postpaid.



#### **DWARF TANGERINE**

Another worth-while novelty for indoor Culture Another worth-while novelty for indoor Culture. This is a genuine Tangerine — easy to grow and delightful in appearance. Plant has glossy green leaves, and bears delightfully fragrant flowers, followed later by brilliant colored fruits, delicious in flavor. A fine companion plant for Ponderosa Lemon. Try them both. Plants from 21/4-in pots, \$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.85, postpaid.



#### NEWER AFRICAN VIOLETS

**BLUE POM** — Big double medium blue blossoms. Rapid grower, prolific bloomer, bright green boy foliage.

**HOLLY DELIGHT** — Large ruffled single flowers of many shadings of blue and white. Big green ruffled boy leaves.

**LADY ELAINE** — Striking two-tone single flowers with 2 top petals of deep lavender and 3 bottom petals of pale lavender. Girl foliage.

GENIE — Beautifully fringed single flowers of intense rose-pink color. Ruffled light green boy foliage.

SWANK — Double lavender-pink blooms, and red-backed boy foliage on compact medium size plants.

**WINTRY ROSE** — Novel, intense rose-red double blooms with striking frosty white edging. Deep green boy foliage.

TENNESSEE ROSE — Abundance of charming single pink blooms with a warm rosy cast. Light green boy foliage.

**TILLIE** — Huge, star shaped single red flowers with a deeper color tone in center. Boy foliage, fast grower.

HOLLYWOOD ACE — Pretty double blue flowers amidst dark green, rounded, spooning foliage that's bronze beneath.

TV SWIRLING PETTICOATS — Heavily fringed double deep purple single flowers. Large, deep green holly-type leaves.

SEA SPRITE—Two-toned, heavily fringed double blossoms of white petals with purple cast and deep purple margins. Ruffled foliage.

DOUBLE PINK CHEER — Very showy double deep pink blooms, dark green boy foliage with bronze cast.

YOUR CHOICE above: Each \$1.75, any 3 for \$4.75, ppd.



#### **BIRD OF PARADISE**

Bird of Paradise (strelitzia regina)—the most exotic flowering jungle plant for your indoor garden! Striking, gorgeous flowers 3 to 5 inches long, festooned with red, yellow, blue, and orange, to rival the famous jungle bird of this name. It lives for years, constantly growing in beauty and size to mature plants 2-3 ft. tall with 25 or more flowers at a time! Easy to grow loves sun. Plants from 3-in. pots, \$2.50 each, ppd.



## Gorgeous Gloxinias

**Bloom Quick from Started Bulbs** 

Grow these exotic, tropical house plants with fab ulous, velvety blooms, from large GROWING BULBS, started in our greenhouses. You're sure to succeed and get blooms weeks earlier. There's no risk of getting dry or rotted bulbs that won't grow.

STAR OF FIRE: Brilliant solid red. EMPEROR FREDERICK: Shown above. VIOLACEA: Gorgeous, rich velvety blue. EMPEROR WILLIAM: Purple, white border. ANY of ABOVE STARTED BULBS: 3 for \$1.95, 4 for \$2.50 postpaid.

## **Colorful Potted Geraniums**





Most popular dark red of all! Deep crimson double blooms with scarlet splash in centers. Plants out of 21/4 inch pots: 65c each; 3 for \$1.60,

#### HAPPY THOUGHT

A cheerful, ornamental leafed Geranium with the usual green broken by delightful patches of creamy yellow that sparkle in sunlight. Single bright red flowers. 85c each; 3 for \$2.15 postpaid.

#### SKIES OF ITALY

Gorgeous maple shaped leaves with green centers surrounded by maroon-red area, then yellow edging with splashes of purple, and scarlet! 85c each; 3 for \$2.15, postpaid.

#### **GIANT BEAUTY**

Huge Pansy-like flowers over 2 inches across, rich deep lavender on upper petals, bright orchid on lower petals. 85c each; 3 for \$2.15, postpaid.

#### GERANIUM SPECIAL

PLANTS (out of 21/4" 4 pots) (1 each of the

above 4) only \$2.75
Postpaid







#### **EASY-TO-GROW**

## Garden Flower

## **NOVELTIES**

#### **<b>♠** ROCKET SNAPDRAGONS

(1776) All America's 1960 winner! Giant new heat-tolerant Super Snaps. A single plant boasts ten or more 3 ft. spikes blooming at one time! Originator's mixture of: Red Rocket with huge 2-lipped velvety crimson flowers, plus Orchid, Rose, Bronze, Golden and White Rocket mixed. Pkt. 50c ppd. (Plants: pg. 57)

#### PINK HEATHER ALYSSUM

(1033) All America Flower of 1959. A charming long season edging, bedding, rock garden or pot plant in a gorgeous soft lavender-pink. Easy-to-grow, blooms profusely from early summer till late Sept., and grows only 6" tall! **Pkt. 50c ppd.** 

#### **DOUBLE BUSH BALSAM**

(1056) Clusters of flowers, like tiny dainty double roses at tips of stems, appear in surprising abundance on neat bushy little 12" plants that are quick and easy to grow from seed. Mixed rose, red and white shades: Pkt. 20c, 2 pkts. 35c ppd.

#### **FLYING SAUCER** MORNING GLORY

(1521) Grow multitudes of these fantastic 4" flowers boasting unique color patterns of gorgeous bright "Heavenly Blue", striped with contrasting powdery white and glistening gold in throat! A vine covered with these nodding blooms creates an illusion of constant whirling motion! Pkt. 35c ppd.

#### **GARDEN NOVELTY OFFER**

PKts. of above 4 flower seed









# Colorlul ERENNIALS

Huge 3 foot spikes of bloom on 5 foot plants in June and July. The perfect background flower for beds, borders and bouquets. Here are some of the finest of the famous Pacific Giant Hybrid strains:

2340—Black Knight—Dark violet.

## RUSSELL LUPINES

Tall, stately, 3 ft. spikes solidly filled with sweet pea-like flowers. A beautiful sight when planted in a sunny moist loca-tion. Should be more generally grown.

2410 Blue shades

2411 Carmine shades

2413 Salmon shades

Each 49c, 3 for 98c, 6 for \$1.70 ppd.

#### **Additional** HARDY PERENNIAL **PLANTS**

on pages 52-53



## FLOWERING CREEPING PHLOX

Masses of dainty flowers completely cover these charming dwarf plants, making solid mounds of delicately tinted bloom all through early spring. A spectacular edging for driveways, walks, borders. Effective ground cover on banks, terraces or rockery. Moss-like foliage stays green all winter. Hardy. Grows scarcely 4 inches tall. Thrives in dry, sandy soils in full sun. Your choice of deep rose pink, blue, or bright pink. 3 Potted Plants for \$1.39 ppd. 6 plants for \$2.45 ppd.



## **Canterbury Bells**

(Campanula)

Extremely beautiful, showy 2½ ft. plants with every branch hanging full of huge double bell-shaped flowers in early summer. Lovely in bouquets. Biennial. Your choice of 3 colors. 2320 Pink, 2321 White, 2322 Blue Each 49c, 3 for 98c, 6 for \$1.70 ppd.



#### **NEW DWARF** HARDY FALL ASTERS

Perfect in foreground of perennial border, in rock garden and for edging. Extremely dwarf; grow less than 10" tall, in fall, completely covered with blossoms. Grow anywhere

**SNOW SPRITE.** Sparkling white with golden center. Grows 5 to 6 in. tall.

COUNTESS DUDLEY. Pure blue petals, yellow centers. 6 to 8 in. tall.

**D. M. HARRINGTON.** Lovely rose-lavender flowers. Plant 6-8 in. tall.

Each 49c, 3 for 98c, 6 for \$1.70 ppd.



## PAINTED DAISY

(Pyrethrum)

Colorful Daisies in great quantities during May and June. Attractive fern-like foliage, hardy, easily grown. Beautiful in bouquets. Height 2 ft.

Height 2 n. 2430 Carmine, 2431 Rosy pink. Each 49c, 3 for 98c, 6 for \$1.70 ppd.





## **BASKET BOUQUET of NEW GLAD INTRODUCTIONS**

Starting at 7:00 o'clock position:

- (1) Aqua Queen—Bluest of blues(2) King David—Velvety purple
- (3) Salman's Sensation—Huge blue
  (4) Troubador—Cerise & white
  (5) Golden Boy—Glossy canary
  (6) Innocence—Frilly baby pink
  (7) Lorelei—Ruffled glossy cream

- (8) Minaret—Ruffled salmon
- (9) Snow Clad—Alabaster white (10) Wild Rose—Rose pink

- (11) Copper Luster—Smoky
  (12) Viking—Fiery scarlet & white
  (13) Cheerleader—Orange-red
  (14) Fire Opal (center)—Orange

#### COLORAMA MIXED GLADS

A choice assortment in a riot of vivid hues! All blooming size bulbs 11/4 to 11/2 in. across.

20 for \$1.00 50 for \$2.00 ALL POSTPAID

#### **BASKET COLLECTION**

**BULBS** (1 of each) Not Labeled

**BULBS** (3 of each) All Labeled

\$ 495

#### YOUR CHOICE OF **ABOVE GLADS:**

(all blooming-size bulbs)

3 of a kind 49c 6 of a kind 89c

12 of a kind \$1.65



## HANGING BASKET BEGONIAS

Here's a gorgeous floral waterfall composed of hundreds of radiantly colored Camelia like blooms, often 2 inches across, cascading in a shower of flowers from hanging baskets, planters, pots on shelves, rockery walls, or window boxes on the shady side of house. Grow your own cascade of breathtaking blooms indoors, on the porch, in the window or the garden! Your choice: SCARLET, YELLOW, PINK, ORANGE, ROSE, WHITE or ASSORTED. Choice Bulbs, 2 for 65c, 6 for \$1.65, 12 for \$2.95, postpaid.

#### GIANT CAMELLIA TYPE DOUBLE

These huge, exquisite Camelia-like blooms provide spectacular color in those moist, shady spots along north side of house where few other flowers thrive. They'll brighten those dark corners with dazzling 4 to 5 inch blooms all summer long! No other flower equals them for exotic beauty! Also gorgeous as a brilliant summer-flowering house plant.

YOUR CHOICE OF 8 GLORIOUS COLORS (or Assorted): COPPER SCARLET ORANGE CRIMSON WHITE SALMON

Our large,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 inch diameter, choice quality bulbs produce more blooms. ALL POSTPAID:

2 for 60¢ • 4 for \$1.00 • Doz. \$2.75



# 8 Hardy Garden 'Mums



1. Minnpink (super-cushion) 5. Minnbronze (super-cushion)

2. Cecil Beed (upright)

3. Yellow Cushion

6. White Cloud (semi cushion)

7. Rouge Cushion

4. Multi Bouquet (cushion)

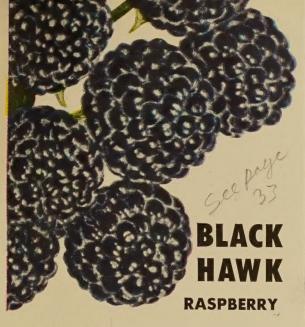
8. Joan Helen (cushion)

Sturdy Grown of any 'MUM PLANTS

## AUTUMN GARDEN GLORY COLLECTION

EXTRA-EARLY BLOOMING MUM PLANTS: \$365 (one of each shown above)

EARLY CUSHION 'MUM COLLECTION EARLIEST-TO-BLOOM **CUSHION MUM PLANTS:** 



A new and better Black Raspberry from Iowa State College, and first to prove a heavy cropper, yielding up to 5,000 pints per acre! The big 3/4 inch berries are sweet and juicy with marvelous flavor when eaten fresh, canned, frozen, or in homemade pies and jam. Ripens early July.

(6702) 1 YR. TIPS PREPAID.

(Supply very limited, only tips available). 5 for \$1.95, 10 for \$3.40, 25 for \$7.50, 100 for \$27.00

# INDIAN SUMMER RASPBERRY

Enjoy this luscious fruit in season, and again long after they're off the market! Loads of large, conical, super quality berries appear late in June (a week before others are ripe) and continue well into July. In mid September comes the real treat,—a fall crop, producing until frost! The ideal home garden berry. (6705) No. 1 GRADE PLANTS, PPD. 10 for \$2.75, 25 for \$5.95, 100 for \$21.00.



This wonderful new home garden berry provides fresh fruit for your table, or for freezing, from early summer 'till frost! Bears big crops on the old canes, then in a few weeks, new canes start to bear, continuing 'till frost! It's easy to pick loads of big, beautiful red berries from 3 ft. canes.

(6700) NO. 1 GRADE PLANTS, PREPAID: 5 for \$1.95, 10 for \$3.50, 25 for \$7.75, 100 for \$29.00



FARMER'S RED RASPBERRY PATCH

(6750) Lots of berries for eating, canning, freezing—during longer picking season! Easy to grow—you save \$1.55.

 $\mathbf{25}$  No. 1  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{10} \ \mathsf{Indian} \ \mathsf{Summer} \\ \mathsf{15} \ \mathsf{Red} \ \mathsf{Latham} \end{array} \right\}$ 



Latham Raspberry

#### LATHAM RED RASPBERRY

The nation's leading commercial and home garden variety. Market growers acclaim it most dependable, most profitable of all, with yearly returns of \$400 to \$800 per acre! It's easy to grow, a heavy producer, hardy enough to survive sub-zero winters. Developed in Minnesota. Fruit is large, dark red, firm, picks easily, keeps and ships well. Superb flavor when eaten fresh, frozen, or in sauce, jam or pies. Cut grocery bills—with home-grown fruit. (1 yr. plants pg. 33.)

(6704) NO. 1 GRADE PLANTS, PREPAID: 10 for \$2.49, 25 for \$5.45, 100 for \$18.95



SODUS PURPLE RASPBERRY

A Cross Between a Red and a Black Raspberry

Here's the best flavored of any raspberry. Just crush a cup of ripe Sodus, sugar lightly, pour over vanilla ice cream, and enjoy a rare flavor thrill! They'll make your jam or jell in a class by itself. Huge, firm

jell in a class by itself. Huge, firm berries of wine-red, purple color. They're easy to grow and quick to bear. Fruit ripens in July.

(6712) 1 YR. TIPS, PREPAID: 10 for \$2.49, 25 for \$5.45 100 for \$18.95.



(6601) CONCORD. America's favorite! Every year, big bunches of blue-black grapes, tender, sweet, juicy and delicious. 2 yr. plants, 2 for 95c, 5 for \$1.95, 25 for \$8.25 ppd.

(6609) NIAGRA. The most popular white grape, bearing huge clusters of attractive, tangy, green grapes of fine dessert quality. 2 yr. plants. Each 60c, 5 for \$2.45, 25 for \$10.50 ppd.

(6602) CACO. Hardiest red grape yet developed! It's sweet and juicy 2 weeks before fully ripe, and ripens before Concord! 2 yr. plants. Each 65c, 5 for \$2.95, 25 for \$12.75 ppd.

(6623) RED, WHITE & BLUE GRAPE ARBOR

GRAPES: One Each of Above \$ 35





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